Family's birthdays win big in Lotto

By PATRICK FOLEY
of the Press-Record

Monica McAmish walked from door to door in her neighborhood Sunday collecting donations for the March of Dimes. A not-so-unusual thing for someone to do, except this someone was conceivably a millionaire.

Miss McAmish had picked the six winning numbers for the $6 million grand prize pool in the Illinois State Lottery "Lotto" game. She didn't know yet how many other people, if any, also had picked the right combination of numbers, but it was learned later that 10 other people were as lucky as she.

MONICA, A part-time employee of Gasen Super X Drugs in the Nameoki Village Shopping Center for the past three weeks, happens to operate the lottery ticket machine at the store, but she didn't sell herself the winning ticket. A fellow employee, Chet Herring, did the honors by selling her the winning ticket Friday afternoon when she came to the store to pick up her paycheck.

Miss McAmish is a full-time student at St. Louis Community College at the Florissant Valley campus. She is studying commercial art and advertising design and will receive her associate's degree in May. She plans to get a job immediately following graduation.

"I was working Saturday night when the winning numbers came across the machine at 7," she said, "When I said to (co-worker) Sandy (Lathrop) that's our birthdays, I wonder if my dad played them this week?"

SHE IMMEDIATELY called home to tell her father the winning numbers, but he hadn't purchased a ticket. "So I told him to look at mine, because I always play our birthdays."

This was only the sixth time she played the "Lotto" game, always playing the same two sets of numbers. The winning six—3, 5, 10, 19, 27 and 29, the family's birthdays, and 1,3,7,11,21 and 27. "The one and 27 are for my birthday on Jan. 27, the three is just my lucky number, the seven and 11 are for my weight when I was born and the 21 is for how long I was when I was born," she said.

"The three is the third, for my sister's, Sissy, birthday. The 10th is my dad's and my sister's, Michelle. The 19th is my mom's, the 27th is mine and the 29th is my brother, Mark's." Since her dad's and my sister's birthday are on the same day, she uses five for her sixth number, which is for her friend's, Chris, birthday."

"**I TOLD** my dad the winning numbers and he asked me to repeat them, so I did," she said. "He said I had all six, that I had won, but I didn't believe him.

"So I told him to put my mother on the phone and she told me I had won, but I still didn't believe them. I told them if I had really won to bring the ticket to the store."

She said she started to shake when her dad came into the store with the ticket. "He was shaking really bad and I was shaking, too."

THEY VERIFIED that she had picked the right numbers. She still had a while before she was off work, but they told her to go home anyway because she was shaking so much.

She got little sleep Saturday night, but got up Sunday and went out collecting forthe March of Dimes. She had volunteered to collect in her neighborhood and was responsible for the area.

"I still can't believe it," she said. Three days had passed since she learned of her good fortune, but it still hadn't sunk in. "Maybe when I get the check, it'll sink in."

HER SHARE of the grand prize

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SHE'S A WINNER. Monica McAmish, a part-time employee of Gasen Super X Drugs in the Nameoki Village Shopping Center, operates the Illinois State Lottery machine from which she purchased her winning ticket. Her six lucky numbers are displayed at left, above the machine.
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Tougher GC building codes sought

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH
of the Press-Record

Granite City Alderman Sharon Perjak made a request Tuesday night that could mark the first step toward a new housing code for the city. The motion asked that the city's planning and zoning committee bring in a sample ordinance the city council can review.

Mrs. Perjak cited a situation at a home in the Fourth Ward that she says could be prevented by a beefed up ordinance. She said the home is in need of a new foundation, as well as new wiring, a new sewer, and a new furnace. The broken foundation has caused the home to lean to one side.

"**SINCE LAST SUMMER,** the city has been trying to get the house condemned," she said. She said when the city got the ownership trace report back on the house recently, they found out the Veteran's Administration owns it and intends to sell the house.

"I found out that three or four couples have come to look at the house this week," said Mrs. Perjak. "If they (VA) sell, we're still going to condemn the house, and then we would have to evict someone—and I wouldn't want to do that," she said.

Additional inspection requirements in the housing code before new occupants move in could help prevent this type of situation. "And I'm not saying that these permits would cost $100—they could be a nominal fee or maybe there wouldn't be any charge for the inspections," she said. "Maybe the inspections could be a service the city provides for new occupants or owners."

ALDERMAN SAM Whitmer of the Second Ward told council members that he is in favor of reviewing the housing plan. "I think she's (Mrs. Perjak) on the right track," he said. "But this time the ordinance has got to be compatible with the whole city. It's got to be modified, especially for the older sections of town."

What Whitmer was referring to was a provision in a sample ordinance that was reviewed in June of 1981. That ordinance called for minimum space requirements for bedrooms and other rooms.

Mrs. Perjak said she is not in favor of a minimum space provision that would cause owners of some of the older homes to be in non-compliance. "I am just speaking about changes that relate to a home when new owners or new occupants come in—these being inspections on heating, plumbing and electric," she said.

THE CURRENT housing code was passed on Aug. 15, 1963, under then Mayor Leonard Davis. The plan was written in 1952.

The only unfavorable comment on Mrs. Perjak's suggestion came from Alderman Paul Fisk, whose pet project for the past six years has been getting the city council to work on a new housing code. Fisk apparently was unaware that Mrs. Perjak was going to bring in such a request.

"I am amazed at what has been said here," he stated. "I fought this fight (to get a new housing code) by myself for years. And in the process, I was hung up, drawn and quartered. I hung all by myself, too.

"**I CAN TELL YOU** that I will not serve on this committee (the one reviewing the code). I'll let somebody else fight for it now!

"I do, however, think this is an excellent idea. All's I can say is hallelujah! I'm glad someone has picked up the ball and is going to go with it."

Mrs. Perjak said later that she will be contacting the chairman of the planning and zoning committee, Alderman Woodrow "Woody" Moad, to assist the committee in its housing code review.

May balance school budget again

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

Playing it a year at a time, somewhat like the baseball managers who approach a new season "one game at a time," Granite City school officials hope to attain a second consecutive budget balance in 1984-85.

The 1983-84 balance was precarious—a $55,468 deficit offset by a permanent working cash fund transfer of $155,953. But School District Nine was able to reduce its operating debt by $100,485.

IT HASN'T BEEN EASY to duplicate that in the current fiscal year because fund sources dwindled further and costs rose, officials say.

But the possibility of an actual '84-85 plus in income compared to outgo has brightened in recent days, due to two one-time-only windfalls.

Illinois' tax amnesty program netted $432,078 for Granite City public schools in December. A few weeks later, another six-figure check arrived, thanks to the Illinois Supreme Court.

PUBLIC UTILITIES filed a tax protest in 1982 but the high court ruled against them in late 1984. The court released $6.5 million in December and then another $40.4 million in January.

Of the $46.9 million, District Nine's share proved to be $293,559.

Together with the $432,078 amnesty money, the tax protest allocation brought the total of unexpected receipts to $725,637—not sufficient to give ironclad assurance of more debt reduction on June 30, but enough to provide solid hope that it can be achieved with continued "belt tightening" on expenditures.

Council may raise township supervisor's salary 38.8%

Granite City aldermen voted 8-6 Tuesday to bring in an ordinance that would raise the salary of the Granite City Township supervisor nearly 39 percent over the next four years.

According to a motion made by Alderman Paul Fisk, chairman of the ad-hoc committee reviewing the salaries of city and township officials, the township supervisor currently makes $10,800 per year. Under the proposal, the salary would increase to $12,500 in May of 1985 and $15,000 in May of 1987.

ALTHOUGH THERE was no discussion on the matter on the council floor, a mid-meeting caucus to discuss the matter was conducted.

Earlier this year, other city officials received 20 percent raises over the next four years. The proposed increase for the township supervisor is 38.8 percent.

According to a worker in the Supervisor Nelson Hagnauer's office, the supervisor's position should be considered a full-time job, if the number of hours worked by the supervisor were to be considered. It is not clear whether the job description for the township supervisor calls for a full-time or a part-time worker, however.

IN COMPARISON with Chouteau, Nameoki and Venice townships, the Granite City township supervisor will be the highest paid of the four officials, after the increases are established. He currently is ranked the third highest paid among the group.

Other supervisor's salaries include: Nameoki Township, $13,500 plus $1,000 for serving as treasurer of the road and bridge fund; Venice Township, $12,000 plus $1,000 for serving as treasurer of the road and bridge fund and Chouteau Township, $6,600 plus $550 for treasurer of the road and bridge fund. All of these officials, reportedly work full-time.

Voting against the ordinance which would provide an increase for the supervisor were Aldermen Paul Ray Bowler, Casmer Skubish, Sharon Perjak, Jake Varadian, Lloyd Bailey and Woodrow "Woody" Moad.

ALDERMEN VOTING in favor of the measure were Everett Morlen, Sam Whitmer, Fred "Pat" Schuman, Carl Kittel, Paul Fisk, Phillip Miller, Stephen Saltich and Michael Modrusic.

Mayor Paul Schuler also voted in favor of the increase, although his vote was not needed to pass the motion.

In a similar motion, aldermen unanimously approved a motion to bring in an ordinance to give the township assessor a 20 percent increase over the next four years.

THE ASSESSOR currently earns $25,000 a year. Under the proposal, their pay will be increased to $27,500 in 1985 and $30,000 in 1987.

TOUCHED BY THE TRIBUTE from U.S. Senator Alan J. Dixon, standing, Christ Costoff, seated, weeps during a dinner in Costoff's honor which attracted about 300 persons Monday night.
(Press-Record Photo by Gary Schneider)

Dixon praises 'Mr. Democrat'

By GARY SCHNEIDER
Press-Record Editor

Christ Costoff, who has been active in the Madison County Democratic Party for 50 years, wept openly as he was praised by U.S. Senator Alan J. Dixon and others at a dinner honoring him Monday night at Charlie's Restaurant.

Approximately 300 persons paid $75 a couple to attend the dinner and honor the veteran Democrat. Among those attending were numerous elected officials from Madison and St. Clair counties and city officials from Granite City, Madison and Venice.

"**TO PUT PEOPLE** like myself and Sen. Paul Simon on the national scene, it takes people like Christ on the local scene," Dixon said at the event, recognizing Costoff's many years of hard work on behalf of all Democrats.

Costoff began working within the Democratic party in 1934 and has been a Democratic precinct committeeman for 40 years. He has served as an alderman in Madison for 16 years and currently is seeking re-election.

He stepped down last year as chairman of the Madison County Democratic Central Committee after serving two terms.

"**I NEVER KNEW** I had so many friends," Costoff told the Press-Record after the ceremonies. He said he has been a Democrat all these years because, "I feel the Democrats are for the people and the Democratic Party helps people get jobs."

Mac Warfield, the current Democratic Party chairman and head of the committee which organized Monday night's dinner, commented, "I and the whole Madison County Democratic Party are proud to honor this really dedicated Democrat who has been working for all of us and the party for 50 years and is still going strong. I cannot think of a single Democrat in the county that Christ has not helped directly or indirectly over the years.

"This golden anniversary celebration is just a small way all of us can say 'thank you' to Madison County's 'Mr. Democrat,' Christ Costoff," Warfield said.

DIXON USED the occasion to lash out strongly against the Republican administration and the "outrageous" increase in the Pentagon's budget by 13 percent.

"It is unconscionable. We have more than doubled our military commitment in the last four years. Last year we spent twice what the Soviet Union spent on defense, but they (the Republicans) say 'spend, spend, spend for the Pentagon,' " Dixon stated.

He said he personally operated the tank-gun the military calls the "Sergeant York" gun. Guided by sophisticated computers and equipment, he was able to hit a stationary target 1.5 kilometers away only one time out of 88 rounds of ammunition fired. "Those rounds of ammunition cost you (the taxpayers) thousands of dollars apiece and hit the target only once, and that's not even under wartime conditions," he stressed.

"**I'M ON THE** (Senate) Armed Services Committee and I want America strong, but it is ridiculous to waste the American taxpayers' money on that kind of junk," Dixon contended.

The other members of the committee who organized the dinner for Costoff were Sylvia Theis and W.F. "Mick" Strange.

The committee announced that all funds raised will be given to Costoff as a gift to be used as he wishes.

St. Clair County Democratic Central Committee Chairman Bruce Cook served as master-of-ceremonies. Also speaking was James Holloway, executive assistant for Attorney General Neil Hartigan.

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Sunny today with a high in the mid 20s. Fair and cold tonight with a low of 0 to 5°. Partly cloudy Friday with a high near 30° and a low in the teens. Fair skies Saturday and a chance of rain Sunday or Monday. Weekend highs in the mid 30s to low 40s and lows in the teens to lower 20s.

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Historical society hears history of the Fechte family

During the first half of the 19th Century, many of the citizens of Germany, Switzerland, Italy and France being dissatisfied with conditions and opportunities in those countries, immigrated to the United States so that their children and descendants might have more opportunities and better living conditions.

Among these were the Fechte family, the Old Six Mile Historical Society was told at the club's regular meeting recently by Harry Fechte.

Jacob Fechte (Harry's great-grandfather), was born in Baden, Germany, in the year 1802 and lived the early part of his life with his parents. He went to Switzerland as a young man and made his livelihood by driving stagecoaches from cities in Switzerland to other cities in Switzerland and the southern part of Germany. Jacob came to Canton of Aargau in the northern part of Switzerland to a village named Mumph where he met and married Theresa Dietweiler, who was born in 1828 in Aargau. The young couple lived in Mumpf, which is near the Rhine River, and their son, John, was born there on Sept. 18, 1845. During the year 1847, another son, Joseph, was born.

In 1850, the family decided to seek a new home in a new land and set sail during that summer from Port of Havre, France. A number of their relatives also made the trip at that time, sailing over the Atlantic Ocean around the southern coast of Florida and across the Gulf of Mexico. The weather was rough most of the way during the six-week trip. They finally arrived near the delta of the Mississippi, when a severe storm came up and blew the vessel out in the Gulf. It then took another week to come to their destination and they landed at the Port of New Orleans. It was here that the Fechte family and some of the relatives intended to make their home in the United States.

During the first winter in New Orleans there was a severe epicemic of Yellow Fever. Fortunately none of those in the Fechte family nor any of their relatives contracted the disease, but many people succumbed to the raging fever.

The Fechte group decided not to try another winter in New Orleans so they came farther north, believing St. Louis to be the best location. They traveled by boat up the Mississippi River and arrived in St. Louis in 1852. Here they found homes in the neighborhood of 10th and 11th and Biddle streets.

In St. Louis, Jacob Fechte found employment at a trade with which he was familiar. He drove Omnibusses on the Broadway line, starting in North St. Louis at about Breman Avenue where the Omnibus Company had stables and the route extended down Broadway to Wild Hunters and returned over the same area. At some steep grades, they would have snatch teams, which would be attached to the Omnibusses to help the regular teams up the steep grades. Jacob worked at this until about 1870.

John, the son of Jacob and Theresa, had a few years of schooling at St. Joseph's School, 11th and Biddle in St. Louis. Joseph died in 1853 at the age of 6, of a cause unknown.

During the year 1854, an epidemic of cholora occurred in St. Louis and Theresa, wife of Jacob, died at the age of 26 of the disease.

When John Fechte (grandfather of Harry) was about 14 years of age, he was apprenticed to a cigar maker and tobacconist. One of his employers was Ben Stocker, who had a store and shop on Franklin Avenue. The Civil War was still unsettled and John volunteered in the Union Army when he was about 18 years of age and helped chase the Confederates out of St. Louis and Missouri. After he was discharged from the Army, he resumed his trade of cigar maker and tobacconist and opened a store and shop in north St. Louis at about 10th and Buchanan Street. Jacob Fechte, then about 69 years of age died on Jan. 30, 1871.

While John Fechte was operating the cigar shop and store at 10th and Buchanan, he met a charming young lady living on Bremen Avenue in North St. Louis. Soon Barbara Schmitz and John Fechte's engagement was announced by her parents.

John Feechte and Barbara Schmitz were married on Feb. 24, 1876, at the old Holy Trinity Church by Father Brinkhoff. The young couple set up housekeeping in rooms adjoining the cigar shop at 10th and Buchanan in property owned by George Ganss, who presented them with a mantle clock, which passed from mother to their son, John L. Fechte, and is still in the family.

On March 23, 1877, a son was born to John and Barbara who they named John Lambert. He was named after his father and the sponsor in baptism, John Lambert Walters.

A daughter, Barbara Matilda followed. She was named for her mother and sponsor in baptism by Matilda Shaar.

The family lived in St. Louis until Oct. 1880, when John decided it would be better in a smaller town, so they decided to move to Venice, Ill., where he bought a dwelling and built an addition for the store and cigar shop at what is now about 806 Main St., Venice.

A well-equipped cigar factory and cigar store was not considered complete unless it had a statue of an Indian standing in front of the store, so when John and family moved from St. Louis to Venice, the Indian was brought along. This was a finely carved and painted statue and was placed on a pedestal in front of the store. It was placed there every morning and at the close of business every evening, it was taken inside.

This was done for a number of years and finally late one evening after dark, there was a disturbance up and down the street. This happened previous to publication of Rule 75 which prohibited railroad men from the use of intoxicating beverages while on duty. On this particular evening, many of the men working on the railroad indulged too freely on the "brew which cheered" and before closing time, the Indian disappeared. The statue was not seen for several months and one day it came back to town on the cupola of a caboose of a freight train. In a few days, it again disappeared going out on a freight train to Bloomington, Rhoodhouse or even Chicago. It would reappear whenever the caboose would come to town. Then, after making the trip a number of times, it disappeared entirely, never to return.

On May 12, 1884, the Fechtes were blessed with another daughter, who was named Mary Theresa. She was named after the two grandmothers.

During the administration of President Grover Cleveland, a number of friends of John Fechte persuaded him to accept the appointment as postmaster at Venice. In a short time, his commission as postmaster came and, in order to have sufficient room for the post office, he was required to build an addition to the store building. The fixtures had to be enlarged by adding additional call and lock boxes and a window for money orders.

He continued business in this location until the land on which the buildings were located was sold by the owner of the land and this required John to seek another building. Cato Abbott, a friend, agreed to build a brick building large enough for the post office, store-cigar shop and rooms on the second floor for living quarters. Just about the time they were settled in the new building the flood of 1892 came up and broke a large opening in the foundation, which almost caused the building to collapse, but when the water leveled off on both sides of Main Street, there was no more danger to the building.

After each flood, business slumped and, because of the high rent situation, it became necessary to find other quarters.

A building at the south part of Main Street, which would now be about 401 Main was available and was bought by John Fechte. The building was large enough for the post office, store and cigar shop. The family moved there about 1894 and they remained until 1906. He was reappointed postmaster by President Benjamin Harrison in 1889 and again by President Grover Cleveland in 1893.

On Aug. 5, 1896, John and Barbara and their only child yet at home, Henry J., moved to Granite City, where they bought the building at 1804-1806 State St. and built a concrete block building adjoining the residence, which was to be used for a store and cigar shop. They resided there and conducted business until the death of John Fechte on Dec. 24, 1922. He was able to attend to business and work at the Cigar table until one month before his death.

John Fechte served as justice of the peace in Venice Township more than 25 years. According to a letter from Mary Fennell of Trapper, Pa., John composed a song when President Cleveland ran for president the first time. It was used as a campaign song and she wrote that her father sang the song and asked for the words, as she only knew the first verse.

Barbara Matilda was the first of the children of John and Barbara Fechte to marry. She was married to John H. Willis at St. Mark's Church in Venice. John H. Willis was a printer and newspaper publisher. He started his first paper in Madison, where he published a weekly paper called The Tri-City Progress.

Next to marry was the oldest son of John and Barbara. John Lambert Fechte (Harry's father) and Mary Aurelia Perry, daughter of Benjamin Perry and Mary Josephine Boushard Perry, who were of French descent were married on July 24, 1901, at St. Mark's Church, Venice, by Rev. Peter Kaenders. Mary Josephine's mother, Mary Boushard, (Harry's great-grandmother) died in 1912 at the age of 89. She left 15 children, 63 grandchildren, 133 great-grandchildren and was survived by 94 living descendants.

John Lambert Fechte graduated from Washington University School of Law in June 1901. He never practiced law, but people frequently came to him for free legal advice.

John L. and Mary, who was called Zoe (little bird in French), began housekeeping at the home of the Perry's at 1000 Second St., Venice, and lived there about six months. In the fall of 1901, John and Mary moved to 914 Third St., Venice. During the year 1902, they built a new home at 440 Lincoln Av., Venice, and had just settled in the new home when the Mississippi River rose and created the most disastrous flood known up to that time. Venice and Madison were entirely covered with water and a great part of Granite City also was covered with water. The flood water was seven feet deep in the new home. A few weeks later, their first son was stillborn. after the flood subsided, John and Mary moved back into the house.

John L. Fechte maintained an insurance and real estate office at 414 Main St. and, after about two years, it became more convenient to have the office and residence closer so they moved their residence to the building at 414 Main St.

Here, their second son was born and was named John Perry Fechte. Another son followed, who was named Lambert Bernard and, in 1908, their first daughter, Marguerite Barbara Fechte, was born. Alvin Fechte, another son, was born in 1910 about the same time the McKinley Streetcar made its initial trial run over the McKinley Bridge to St. Louis. Other daughters, Edna Marie, now Sister Mary Aurelia, of the Sisters of Divine Providence, and Magdalen Mary followed.

As the family increased and Grandpa Benjamin Perry was living at the Fechte home, it became necessary to have a larger house and the opportunity came about to purchase the large brick dwelling from the heirs of Theodore Selb at 919 Third St., Venice. It was here also that Grandpa Perry died on March 13, 1925. Mary Auirelia Fechte, wife of John Lambert and mother of eight living children died Jan. 25, 1931, a few months less than 50 years of age.

After Mary died, John, with the help of daughter Marguerite, kept the family together. He never remarried and raised his children. The youngest was only 9 at the timne of her mother's death.

John L. was also a deputy county clerk and issued many marriage licenses to the residents of the Tri-City area.

During World War I (1917-1918) he corresponded with the Venice boys in service, sending news from home along with cigarettes which were always appreciated.

He was a family historian and it was from his booklet that this information was collected.

When Father Kaenders of Venice formed a Youth Band, John L. Fechte and Harry Perry (Mary's brother) were members and played at the dedication of the Merchants Bridge in 1890. This was the only band present for the ceremonies.

His records show that he was a pallbearer 111 times and a sponsor in baptism 23 times.

He also collected election memorabilia which he donated to Eulalia Hotz, Madison County clerk for many, many years, now deceased.

John L. Fechte died on Sept. 4, 1957, at the age of 80. The flag at the Venice City Hall flew at half mast to honor Mr. Fechte.

At his wake, one of the most beautiful tributes came from a lady who said, "He was the fairest and most honest man I ever knew."

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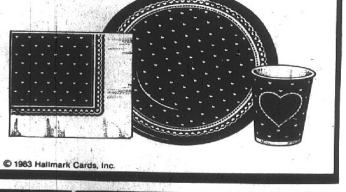

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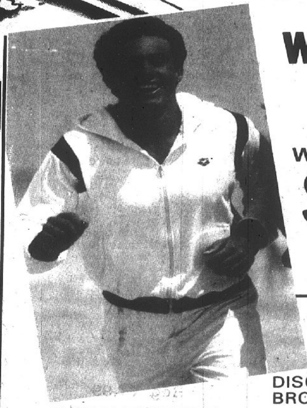

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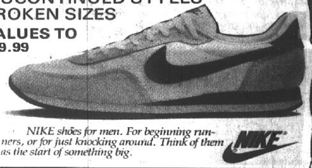

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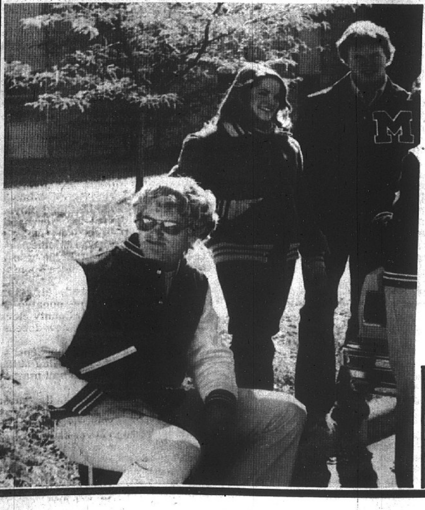

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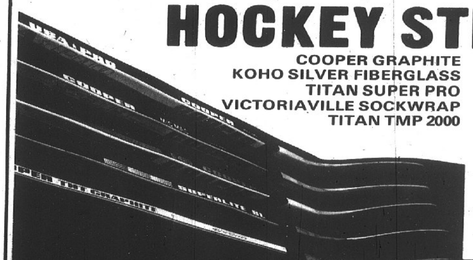

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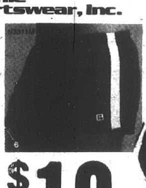

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Permits give city much power

The Granite City Council is considering amending the housing code of Aug. 15, 1963, to include stricter enforcement of the codes before people move into properties.

We think the council should act carefully. It appears we are leaning toward the type of "occupancy permit" plan used by Madison and Venice.

People wishing to move into houses must have the houses inspected and approved before the utilities can be turned on in those cities and others.

A major drawback of such a plan is that it gives too much power to the inspector and the party in power at that time. Since building codes are so full of requirements, a building inspector can easily cite any given home for many code violations and make it costly and difficult for anyone to move into a home.

We have heard complaints in the past from some who felt the administration in one local town was harassing them for political reasons by citing numerous small violations in their intended homes and denying them the right to move in.

We have debated the issue before with Alderman Paul Fisk, who has been leading the plea for such changes in the building codes for the past six years. Fisk says he has been "...hung up, drawn and quartered. I hung all by myself too."

Strong Press-Record editorial opposition to the occupancy permit idea undoubtedly contributed to the "hanging" of Alderman Fisk. For that we apologize, because his idea has some merit.

A good building code program, properly enforced, could make a big difference in this city. Certainly there are properties which should be condemned faster or prompt repairs ordered by the city.

However, we are not sure occupancy permits are the right way to go about it. We hope the city council acts carefully before giving any future city administration the power to deny people the right to move into a house or apartment.

Growth of the region predicted

The St. Louis Regional Commerce and Growth Association (RCGA) is screaming bloody murder about an undocumented report which projects that the population of the 10-county metropolitan area will decline by 9,300 persons from 1985 to 1990.

RCGA Research Manager Stephen Taylor is contending the projection "flies in the face of common sense" and lacks any kind of documentation or explanation. Several factors point to a steady increase in population for the area in the next five years, he says.

The St. Louis Chapter of the American Statistical Association (ASA) estimated that between 1980 and 1985, the population of the area would increase by 8,500 persons. Instead, a period of severe recession and high unemployment caused many persons to move away.

"It is paradoxical that they would forecast a decline in population for the balance of the 1980s when forecasters generally predict steady growth and no major recession for both the U.S. and the St. Louis economies," Taylor said.

The region has strong links to the U.S. economy and is likely to continue to move in the same direction as the national economy, he says.

Positive factors for the region include: continued growth in military spending which provides one job in every seven in the St. Louis area; the growth of local high-technology plants such as McDonnell Douglas Corp. and Monsanto Co.; the resurgence of the auto industry, which has spend more than $1 billion locally in the past four years for plant modernization and is well suited to meet the challenges of the next five years, and the boom in office construction in the region in the past few years which will add to the growth of the service sector.

"With the expected growth of local employment in the next five years, the RCGA confidently expects that the 1990 Census will find an increase in population for the St. Louis region above the current levels," Taylor said.

We can only agree. Locally, A.O. Smith is showing signs of continued growth. American Steel, hopefully, will reopen this year. Prospects are good for at least one new industry moving in, we hear.

Recovery from a recession is no time for "doom and gloom" projections.

A lot to brag about here

Sometimes it is too easy to think of Granite City as a small town, particularly since it is located next to the giant St. Louis and St. Louis County.

However, The Book of St. Louis Business, published annually by the St. Louis Business Journal, gives us some perspective on our size in the region which may surprise some.

For instance, Granite City is the seventh largest city in the metropolitan area and the Granite City School District is the 10th largest. Belleville Area College is the second largest college in the area and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville is the fifth largest, the report shows.

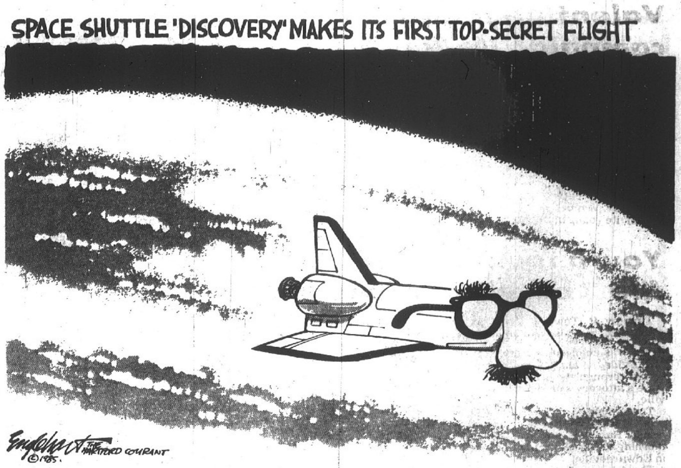
Granite City Steel is the eighth largest manufacturing employer in the region and the largest locally-based division of companies based outside the St. Louis area. St. Elizabeth Medical Center is the 13th largest hospital facility in the region.

First Granite City Bancorporation is the 19th largest bank holding company and Madison County Federal Savings and Loan is the 17th largest in the metropolitan area. Granite City Steel Employees' Federal Credit Union was the ninth largest.

Granite City Pickling was the sixth largest project in the area to be financed under the Small Business Administration's 503 financing guidelines and Avco Corp. was the 16th largest defense prime contractor in the region.

According to James Pennekamp, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, "There is a great deal to be proud of within the Tri-Cities area and Southwestern Illinois. Let's start pointing that out to each other and the greater St. Louis metropolitan area."

We are an important part of an important urban hub. Sometimes that is overlooked.



PR Readers React

DAVID BARTON

PAUL SANSOUCY

ELLIE JOHNSON

TIM BROWN

Military shuttle?

Visitors to the Granite City Post Office Wednesday afternoon were asked if the space shuttle program should be used for military purposes. Their comments follow.

David Barton, Granite City

"No. It should be used for the good of all people. We blow so much on war already that we should start spending more down here to help the people."

Paul Sansoucy, Troy, Ill.

"No, because I think it can be used for a lot better things than the military. If we start using the space shuttle for military, other countries will start the same thing. If we can't handle the military down here, how can we handle it in space."

Ellie Johnson, Granite City

"Yes. If we want to keep up our advancement and progress militarily with the rest of the world, we should use it for the military."

Tim Brown, Granite City

"Yes. Because it, more or less, can be used to deploy defense weapons used to protect us."

McKinley Bridge maintenance cost $43,549 last year

By VALERIE EVENDEN of the Press-Record

Cost of maintenance operations on the McKinley Bridge in Venice during 1984, using Motor Fuel Tax money, amounted to $43,549, according to a municipal maintenance expenditure statement approved by the Venice City Council Tuesday night.

The Motor Fuel Tax statement prepared by Juneau and Associates engineering firm shows a balance of $13,343 remaining from the total amount of $56,892 authorized by the council last year.

In addition the sum of $2,416 was approved for engineering costs.

An expenditure of $3,809 for rock salt paid by the city from the general fund will be reimbursed from the Motor Fuel Tax fund. Also to be reimbursed the city from the MFT fund are expenses of $12,211 in labor costs and $25,169 for equipment rental, according to the document.

Items authorized in the bridge maintenance work with Motor Fuel Tax monies included bituminous patching material, aggregate, traffic paint and signs, plus labor and requipment rental costs.

The council also approved payment of $16,287 to J. S. Alberici contracting firm from the McKinley Bridge Replacement and Improvement fund.

Bridge Manager Tom Fields reported to the aldermen that bridge traffic again was up in January compared to the same month last year.

A total of 420,135 vehicle used the city-owned bridge in January with a daily average of 13,552, representing an increase of 1,024 vehicles above last year.

Mayor Tyrone Echols said groundbreaking ceremonies for the installation of signs, designating the city of Venice as a Neighborhood Watch (Crime Blockers) community, have been delayed until the weather improves.

He expressed the council's appreciation to Mrs. Pamela Wilson, Mrs. Dorothy Griggs and Mrs. Lois Wilson, who were at the meeting. The three women are spearheading the program under the direction of Police Sergeant Birl Reed.

The mayor also urged the general public "to come and participate and share the workload" in the citizens' involvement program.

He noted the group also is planning a cleanup and fixup campaign this spring "to try to instill a little pride in the community."

Police Chief Farris Smith announced Neighborhood Watch members will hold their next meeting at 10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 23, at the Venice Senior Citizens' Community Center, Klein and Brown streets. All residents are welcome to attend, he added.

Mrs. Wilson said more than 50 people braved the frigid weather last Saturday to attend a Crime Blocker meeting, including several newcomers to the group. In excess of 500 residents have enrolled in the program.

Third Ward Alderman John Ervin asked for a meeting to be arranged between officials of the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad, Street Superintendent Tom Scaturro and Police Chief Farris Smith to discuss problems on Market Street.

Other points discussed by the council focused on — the current legal status of deteriorated property; damage to a catch basin on Market Street, apparently by a truck or similar heavy vehicle; the need for additional or new street signs and the legality of placing other types of signs on street sign poles.

The Southwestern Illinois Council of Mayors will next meet at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 27, at VFW Post 847 in O'Fallon, Ill., with Illinois Lieutenant Governor George Ryan as guest speaker.

Dinner reservations cost $10 per person and will be accepted through Feb. 25, Mayor Echols announced.

Council establishes stop intersection

Granite City aldermen approved an ordinance Tuesday night to establish a stop intersection on Pontoon Road at its interesection with Franklin Avenue.

The stop designation will apply to both eastbound and westbound traffic on Pontoon Road.

The fine for violation of the law is between $10 and $25.

In other council action, aldermen approved an ordinance that establishes a handicapped parking zone in the 2600 block of Cayuga Street.

The zone will be on the south side of the street, from a point beginning 64 feet east of the southeastern corner of the intersection of Jefferson Avenue and Cayuga Street and extending east for 30 feet.

Persons convicted of violating the ordinance will be fined between $10 and $50.

The Forum . . .

Our readers respond

Name and address must accompany each letter but will not be revealed if anonymity is requested. Communications of less than 250 words will be given preference. All are subject to condensation and grammatical changes. Those libelous or not in good taste will be rejected or edited.

Says newspaper is invaluable to the APA

To the Editor:

I had a rewarding day at the APA shelter, Friday and I wanted to share some of it with you. You probably remember you ran the older poodle's picture in the Jan. 24 paper. Although there were people responding that day, Friday's response (Jan. 25) was overwhelming. "Boots" was adopted early in the day.

Many commented on the fine quality of the picture, but most were older people wanting an older pet, already housebroken — a good and quiet companion. A Mr. Thurston became the lucky new owner — very grateful to have a dog, to replace one lost, unhappily, some time ago. Mr. Thurston and his wife live alone, not unlike many other callers who were placed on the waiting list for a pet. Many animals are placed over the phone, matching up people with animals, with those waiting to adopt.

Some are critical of the APA in that they think we should help people, not animals. Inividuals who think his way should have answered the phone for us at the shelter. Often callers would tell of the unhappy loss of a pet and their hopes of the APA finding them another. Critics of the APA should contact Mr. Thurston who, I'm sure, would testify that the APA does help PEOPLE as much as animals. So much evidence is being uncovered about how pets prolong the lives of older persons.

Of course, my reason for writing you is to reaffirm the fact that all of this is possible because of the Press-Record and your kindness and generosity. The publicity you give us makes the public aware of our work. A man brought us a case of dog food Friday, donations continue to come in, mostly because since you think we're doing important work, it must be so.

The large, beautiful pictures (of available pets) are so invaluable. Please allow us to reiterate how grateful the APA is to you!

LINDA IRWIN

Cooperation a key to luring Saturn plant

To the Editor:

The site selection process for General Motor's new Saturn production facility has become one of the most unusual in the history of the automotive industry. Under normal circumstances the location process in a project of this magnitude is shrouded in secrecy, with only a priviledged few winning access to company decision makers. In this case of Saturn, General Motors executives have chosen the opposite approach characterized by high profile media coverage and open competition between states.

This approach has brought new challenges for all organizations involved in economic development. Those in Southwestern Illinois are no exception. For the last several years, numerous development groups in Madison and St. Clair counties have been working to prepare themselves to deal effectively with industrial location inquiries.

More recently, through the efforts of the Leadership Council of Southwestern Illinois, these groups have come to the realization that by working cooperatively they can compliment their own individual efforts and, in so doing, maximize the benefits to their respective communities and the region as a whole.

With the announcement of the Saturn Project came a major challenge and test. The challenge was obvious — to bid effectively on the Saturn project in the hopes of landing the facility in Southwestern Illinois. The test was more subtle, but of equal imporatnce — to utilize a cooperarive regional approach in the bidding process, thereby concentrating the resources of the two county area on the best possible sites.

The challenge of landing the Saturn project has yet to be determined, but all indications point to the fact that Southwesten Illinois has passed the test. County governments, regional and local economic development organizations, and the vast majority of the municipalities rallied to the cause, joining forces to support Saturn's location anywhere within the two-county area. All of these agncies should be congratulated with a special thanks offered to the Leadership Council/Southwestern Illinois. It is through the Leadership Council's efforts that the economic development resources of the two-county area have been brought together in the spirit of cooperation. There is still much work to be done but Southwestern Illinois has taken a major step in a direction which will benefit the region for years to come.

JAMES PENNEKAMP
Executive Vice President
Tri-Cities Area
Chamber of Commerce

St. Elizabeth offered good care to her dying father

To the Editor:

My father, who passed away last week, was a patient at St Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City for nearly four weeks.

He was in ICCU and CCU on the Sixth Floor. He received the most excellent care possible. The nurses at both departments were caring, kind and patient with my father while administering the best of medical help. They also were kind, understanding and did their best to help the family overcome their grief, fears and numerous questions.

The nursing profession, St. Elizabeth Medical Center and the residents of Granite City should be proud of such nurses. Not only were they professional in doing their job, they also administered mercy, kindness, patience, understanding and sympathy, both to the patient and his family.

GRATEFUL

Valentine to launch campaign on Feb. 14

Venice Fourth Ward Alderman Victor A. Valentine Sr., who is seeking office as mayor of Venice, will launch his campaign on an appropriate date — Thursday, Feb. 14, he announced this week.

"Come and meet Valentine on Valentine's Day," the mayoral candidate said Tuesday night. The event is scheduled at 6 p.m. Feb. 14 at the Venice Recreation Center, 325 Broadway, Venice.

"I invite young and old to come out and help kick off my campaign for mayor of Venice," he said.

"All help is needed and committees will be formed that night. Those wishing to help are being asked to please come out and be a part of the 'New Horizon' in Venice," the candidate said.

"New Horizon" was announced earlier as Valentine's campaign slogan. Anyone wishing to obtain further information is invited to contact Valentine at 451-7475.

EDITH HEADRICK of Granite City, a member of the Collinsville Chapter of Sweet Adelines, Inc., has been appointed by Cathy Metzger, international extension representative, to serve on the Midwest Gateway Region 54 IER Team. Mrs. Headrick will give her first presentation at the Small Chorus Clinic in Peoria Jan. 26. She will work with a chorus on membership, retention and growth. She is recording secretary and former president of the Collinsville Chapter. She is a secretary at Granite City Steel.

Youth found under auto, file 2 burglary counts

Timothy P. Towery, 17, of West Alton, Mo., who also had an address listed in the 2900 block of Pershing Blvd., was charged with two counts of burglary (vans) in informations issued through the Madison County state's attorney's office in Edwardsville.

Towery appeared in court at 3:15 p.m. Monday and a mittimus was issued. He was transferred Tuesday morning to the Madison County Jail in Edwardsville.

The felony counts related to the alleged burglary of two vans, both reported on Jan. 30. The vehicles belonged to Ray Harris, 2617 E. 24th St., and Alan Milton, 2442 Lincoln Ave.

Towery was arrested during the weekend when an officer was trying to serve him a warrant. The document cited a charge of resisting a peace officer.

The officer went to an apartment in the 3100 block of Kirkpatrick Homes where he talked briefly with Towery.

When he attempted to place handcuffs on the youth, the latter pulled away and a scuffle ensued on the stairs, with Towery getting loose and running through the front door.

Towery was located a few minutes later, lying underneath a car in the 3700 block of Kirkpatrick Homes. He was booked on a new charge of resisting a peace officer and later the felony informations were filed.

Board of Review exam scheduled

An examination will be conducted by the Illinois Department of Revenue at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 21, for persons wishing to qualify for appointment as a member of the County Board of Review.

To be eligible for appointment, a person must be qualified by virtue of experience and training in the field of property appraisal and property tax administration amd must pass the examination prepared and administered by the Department of Revenue to determine his or her competency to hold such office and be a resident of Madison County

Application blanks and more information may be obtained at the county clerk's office, Room 211, in the courthouse.

Chiropractor attends postgraduate seminar

Dr. Larry A. Shipley, a Granite City chiropractor, recently attended a four-day postgraduate seminar in Las Vegas, Nev.

The event was sponsored by the Parker Chiropractic Research Foundation of Fort Worth, Tex.

Chiropractic educators presented 150 classes covering nearly every phase of chiropractic practice, including the most recent research and developments in chiropractic adjusting techniques, advanced patient care and modern X-ray methodology. Also included were classes covering nutrition, meridian-therapy and scoliosis correction procedures.

Dr. Shipley is a graduate of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and also of Logan College of Chiropractic in Chesterfield, Mo.

ORDERED TO WORK OFF FINE WITH CITY

In a court appearance at 2 p.m. Monday, Gary L. Kiselka, 28, of 3457 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving while his license was suspended. He was fined $100, given six months court supervision and was ordered to work off the fine in city related tasks.

Kiselka was arrested this week when he and Roger D. Parks, 20, of 2502 Kirkpatrick Homes, got out of a vehicle near the Kirkpatrick Homes complex. Parks was charged with illegal possession of alcohol and was released to appear for a hearing.

PASSENGER HURT AT NAMEOKI—ST. CLAIR

Rene Walker, 13, of 2514 E. 24th St., sustained a minor injury while a passenger in an auto operated by Paula L. Walker, 34, of the same address, during the weekend. The girl declined immediate medical attention.

The Walker auto was northbound on Nameoki Road when it was involved in a collision with a vehicle operated by Marsha L. Legate, 34, of 2804 Wilson Ave., who turned left into St. Clair Avenue from the southbound lanes of Nameoki Road.

The impact caused the Legate auto to slide into a third car operated by Thomas E. Roberts, 26, of 2622 Benton St., which was halted at a stop sign on St. Clair waiting to turn onto Nameoki Road.

CHARGE VENICE MAN

Following a weekend incident involving a weapon, Henry L. Leonard, 54, of 641 Meredocia Ave., Venice, was arrested at home and charged with not having a Firearm Owner's Indentification card. A shotgun was confiscated at the dwelling and Leonard was released on notice to appear for a hearing.

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State Bar urges end to jury exemptions

Should a legislator be called for jury duty? What about a doctor or a newspaper editor? Illinois law now exempts people in a broad range of occupations and professions from jury service.

The Illinois State Bar Association has taken a position that ll occupational exemptions should be abolished in the hope that juries will be more representative of the community, a requirement established by the U.S. Supreme Court.

Among those now exempted from jury service are the governor, lieutenant governor, other elected state officials, legislators, judges, clerks of courts, sheriffs, coroners, postmasters, practicing physicians and dentists, attorneys, all officers of the United States, members of the clergy and religious communities (including Christian Science practitioners), mayors, police officers and firefighters, and all persons on the editorial and mechanical staffs of newspapers.

Officers and enlisted personnel of the Illinois National Guard and naval militia are not only exempt during their period of enrollment, but for a like period after their termination.

"The list of exempted occupations has grown to such an extent that the representative nature of juries is threatened," according to Jon W. DeMoss of Springfield, president of the 27,000-member State Bar. "Undoubtedly, there are valid reasons for some of these exemptions in some cases, but the blanket approach is reducing the available jury pool and is putting an uneven burden on some segments of the community."

The U.S. Supreme Court, in a 1975 decision, stressed that community participation on juries is "critical to public confidence" in the justice system, and that "excluding identifiable segments playing major roles in the community cannot be squared with the constitutional concept of the jury trial.

"By exempting important segments of the community from serving on juries, we are limiting a jury's ability to reflect the entire community's conscience and values," DeMoss said.

"Instead of treating jury service as a nuisance which only some must bear, we should treat it as a shared civic duty. While it is unlikely that a governor of the state will actually be selected to sit on a jury, all people should be subject to a call to service. Valid reasons for not reporting for service would still be determined by a judge."

Any change in the current exemptions would have to be made by legislative action, and the State Bar would support such efforts, he said.

The State Bar also is urging the court system to study ways jury service might be made more convenient for jurors. Specifically, the Illinois Judicial Conference is being asked to consider whether changes should be made in juror compensation, transporation allowances, parking facilities, comfort in the waiting room, the use of jurors' time, and child care.

In recent years, some Illinois courts have tried to lessen the time commitment for jurors through one-day or one-trial terms of service. Some courts also provide telephone answering devices so jurors can call and learn if they must report for service on a given day.

"There needs to be a comprehensive study to ensure that jury service does not become an undue burden because citizen participation is an essential part of our justice system," DeMoss said.

Parks in Tanzania topic of slide show

The Piasa Palisades Group, Sierra Club's monthly meeting will be on Monday, Feb. 11, at First Presbyterian Church, Fourth and Alby streets in Alton, starting at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served after the program.

Slides of a two week journey through the parks of Tanzania, including Seregeti National Park, Ngorongoro Crater and Lake Manyara National Park will be shown. Many animals will be seen in their natural habitat.

Dr. Harold Broadbooks, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville biology professor, who recently traveled through these Tanzanian parks, will narrate. Dr. Broadbooks teaches courses in mammalogy, ornthology and biology and is interested in natural history and ecology. He has developed the one hour lecture/slide presenation to be both educational and enjoyable.

CHURCH BURGLARS LEAVE LOOT BEHIND

Receiving a report of a burglary in progress at the Christ Gospel Church, 2814 Victory Drive, at 7:20 p.m. Monday, officers went to the scene and found four plastic bags laying on the ground.

The bags contained three guitars and a speaker belonging to the church. The building was entered through a basement window which had been broken.

The burglars had fled the scene when officers arrived and it was believed the intruders were scared away by a passerby.

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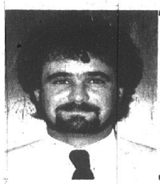

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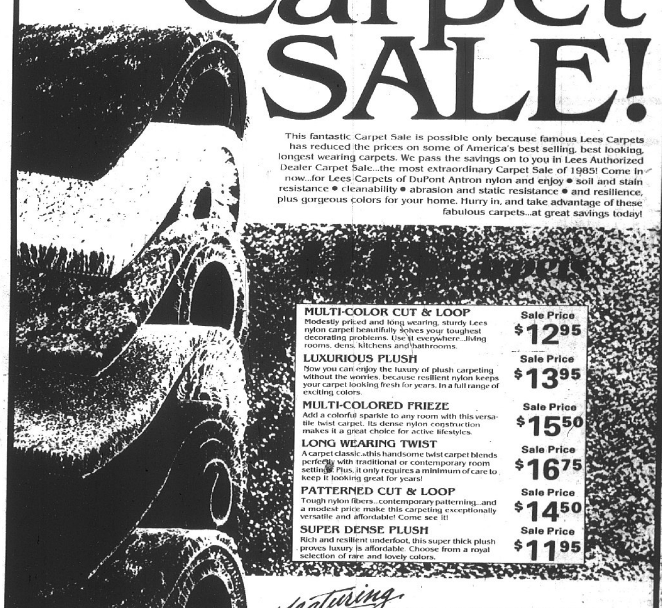

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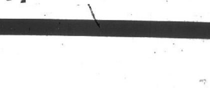

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Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan has announced the offical opening of an eight-county regional office in Granite City.

The Granite City office, located at 1314 Niedringhaus Ave., is headed by Assistant Attorney General Dennis J. Orsey and will serve the citizens of Madison and seven other counties: Bond, Calhoun, Fayette, Greene, Jersey, Macoupin and Montgomery.

The full-time, full service regional office offers a broad array of legal services in a number of areas — environment, consumer protection, senior citizens and disabled advocacy, crime victims' compensation, agricultural law and other areas where service is provided by the attorney general's office.

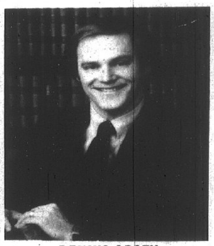
"Until now, individuals in need of legal assistance from the state were forced to turn to Springfield or Chicago," Hartigan commented. "Establishment of full-service regional offices in Granite City and several other metropolitan areas of Illinois will enable citizens to get prompt assistance right in their home communities."

Hartigan continued, "I have selected Granite City native Dennis Orsey to direct the activities of this office and its staff so that we can deliver the legal services of the state directly to the citizens of Madison and surrounding counties.

"Dennis is an experienced attorney, was the top student in his law class and knows the community and its needs on a first-hand basis. I am confident that he and his staff will provide quality administration and effective representation to the people."

A 1972 graduate of Granite City High School, Orsey received a bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois in 1976 and a degree in law from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale in 1979. He was president of the Student Bar Association his senior year and was recipient of the John S. Rendleman Award for Outstanding Senior Law Student. Orsey is a member of the Tri-City, Madison County, Illinois and American Bar Associations.

Orsey formerly practiced law in Granite City. In the early 1980's, he was a member of an Alton law firm. He and his wife, Catherine, live in Granite City.



DENNIS ORSEY
Regional director

Utility tax deduction not included in tax tables

Ira Loeb, District Director, Internal Revenue Service has announced that Illinois taxpayers who itemize deductions may now deduct public utility taxes along with their regular sales tax deduction.

Effective Jan. 1, 1984, the Illinois general sales tax rate changed to the same rate as the Illinois Public Utilities, Gas Revenue and Messages tax. Accordingly, these selective sales taxes are now deductible. They are not reflected in the 1984 Optional Sales Tax Tables which are included in the Form 1040 instructions.

The amount of the additional deduction may be computed in two ways. The first is by adding 10 percent to the sales tax amount allowed from the 1984 Optional State Sales Tax Tables. As an example, the table shows that a family of four with income of $25,000 may deduct $336. Under this first method, taxpayers would add another 10 percent or $33.60 for a total deduction of $369.60.

A second method is to compute actual sales tax paid, as shown on sales receipts, and include the state public utility tax that is shown on Illinois utility bills.

Loeb also reminds taxpayers that the local sales tax included in the tables is 1 percent. If they are residents of cities that have additional local sales taxes (and are not specified in the footnotes to the tables), their additional sales tax deduction can be claimed.

IMPORTANT TAX DATES

FEBRUARY 15—Workers eligible for exemption from federal income tax withholding must file a new Form W-4 with employers to continue their exemption.

MONTHLY—If you earned $20 or more in tips in any month, you must report the total to your employer by the 10th day of the following month.

Rules of the Road course offered to area residents

Secretary of State Jim Edgar, in cooperation with the Granite City Council of Seniors and Madison Senior Citizens, is offering Rules of the Road Review Courses for all citizens in the Granite City and Madison areas.

The purpose of the courses is to help applicants pass the Illinois Drivers License renewal examination. They update drivers on the current rules of the road, explains the vision and driving ability examinations and prepare applicants for the general written and road-sign examination.

The first local Rules of the Road Review Course will be conducted from 9 to 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 20, at the Granite City Township Building, 2060 Delmar Ave., for Granite City residents. It will be repeated from 9 to 11 a.m. Monday, Feb. 25, at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh Street and Lee Avenue in Madison, for Madison residents.

The course is free to anyone, any age, who wishes to attend. Granite City residents interested in the course should contact Clyde Myers at 876-3981. Madison residents should contact Shirley Greer at 451-1440.

Arts councils sponsor essay contest

Sixteen Southern Illinois arts councils and institutions of higher learning are helping to sponsor the second "Memories of Southern Illinois" essay contest for senior citizens.

The contest will continue to accept entries until March 31. It is open to those residents of the lower 34 counties of southern Illinois who are age 60 or older.

Senior citizens are to write essays about their early experiences in Southern Illinois—including great storms, floods, farm life, the depression years, politics and other aspects of area life and history.

The sixteen sponsors will provide prizes and awards for winning essays in their area. The sponsors for the 1985 contest include: Belleville Area Arts Council, Belleville Area College, Lincoln Trail College, Piasaw Players, Inc., Fayette County Cultural and Arts Association, Grayville Community Arts Association, John A. Logan College, Kaskaskia College and Lewis and Clark Community College.

Union County Arts Association, West Frankfort Arts Council, Rend Lake College, Shawnee Community College, Southeastern Illinois Community College, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and Sunshine Center.

Brochures giving full details of the essay contest will be distributed to area senior citizen centers, arts organizations, public libraries, colleges and other institutions. Brochures may also be obtained by contactng: David C. Thomas, Southern Illinois Arts, Post Office Box 3282, Carbondale, Ill., 62902, telephone 1-457-8264.

BURGLAR DAMAGES CAR

An in-dash AM-FM radio and cassette player was stolen from the auto of Alexis Brown, 2917 Denver St., last week. The heater control also was taken and wires were cut, she said.

Arbor Foundation offers free trees

The National Arbor Day Foundation is giving 10 free shade trees to people who join the nonprofit foundation during February.

A sugar maple, weeping willow, red oak, green ash, thornless honeylocust, pin oak, silver maple, tulip tree, European mountainash, and red maple tree will be given as part of the foundation's campaign to encourage tree planting.

These trees were selected because they provide flowers, berries and nuts, in addition to shade and beauty, according to John Rosenow, the foundation's executive director.

The foundation will give the 10 free trees to members contributing $10 during February. The 6-to-12-inch trees will be shipped this spring before May 31, when conditions are right for planting. They will be sent with enclosed planting instructions and are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free by the foundation.

To become a member of the foundation and receive the free trees, a $10 membership contribution should be sent to SHADE TREES, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, Neb. 68410, by Feb. 28.

FIRE GUTS MOBILE HOME

A fire that broke out at the mobile home of Sam Wallace, 1035 Douglas St., Venice, resulted in a total loss of property, according to Venice firemen. The fire occurred early this week. The source of the fire is not known, but it is believed the blaze started in the front room of the mobile home.

$799 STEREO STOLEN

A rear door was found open at the home of Todd York, 2621 W. 22nd St., where a burglar removed stereo components valued at $799, it was reported this week. Missing from the dwelling were a turntable, equalizer, cassette tape deck and a receiver unit.

Troy man suffers blackout driving

Otho G. Hensley, 76, of Troy, Ill., suffered an apparent blackout while driving east on Johnson Road at 5:55 p.m. Monday, with his auto continuing to travel along a grassy area between houses on Gary and Emert avenues.

Hensley suffered an injury and was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Later, he was transferred to a Belleville hospital, an SEMC spokesman advised.

Leona Cartwright, 2328 Waterman Ave., a passenger in the auto, told police that Hensley suddenly became "rigid" and she was unable to get him to respond, so the vehicle kept moving. Mrs. Cartwright was not injured in the mishap.

The driver is believed to suffer from a medical disorder that occasionally may result in a blackout, reports noted.

With Hensley behind the wheel, the vehicle crossed Edgewood Avenue from Johnson Road before entering the approachway, separating the backyards of homes on Gary and Emert avenues, and striking several objects along its path.

Enroute along the grassy verge, the auto struck and damaged a storage shed at the home of Ruth Lelik, 3278 Edgewood Ave., and a fence at the home of Robert Sikes, 2319 Emert Ave.

On the other side of its path, the Hensley car struck and demolished a chainlink fence and brick barbecue pit at the Rolla Reeves residence, 2300 Gary Ave., and hit a wooden bench and a trash container at the house of Robert Cowan, 2304 Gary Ave., before coming to a halt against an Illinois Power Co. utility pole, reports noted.

PONTIAC LEMANS GONE

Rich Hutchings reported last week that a brown Pontiac LeMans four-door sedan was stolen from a parking area near his service station at Niedringhaus and Grand avenues.

Utility to honor energy-efficient building designs

Illinois Power Company is proceeding with a new program to recognize energy efficiency in commercial buildings.

Winners will receive the Epsilon Eta award, named for the greek symbols for energy and efficiency.

The program has been developed to recognize owners and design professionals responsible for energy-efficient, all-electric commercial buildings.

"In view of the rapid increase in the price of fossil fuels over the last decade, electricity has been recognized as the economic alternative as a hearing course, All commercial buildings in our service territory are eligible for participation in the awards program," a spokesman said.

Standards to be used in judging the buildings include: the heating system, indoor and outdoor lighting, domestic water heating, the ventilation and exhaust system, the cooling system, the "thermal envelope" (walls, windows, etc.), and energy management and control systems such as timers and load control devices.

Judging will be based on Epsilon Eta award standards as they apply to a specific building.

The standard will recognize only those measures which would have a significant impact on a building's total energy consumption. Greater credit will be given to the more efficient systems.

For example, a system that allows individual rooms to be heated or cooled would receive more credit than a system that must heat or cool the entire building simultaneously.

Plaques will be awarded to winners from each Illinois Power service area throughout 1985.

"In addition to promoting energy-efficient design and rewarding its practitioners, the use of low-cost electric heating will help reduce the Midwest's reliance on imported energy and will increase use of Illinois coal," the spokesman concluded.

Divorce is topic of leader session

Dr. Robert Hughes, University of Illinois family life specialist, will teach a local leader session on "Divorce Affects More Than Just the Couple" at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Farm Bureau auditorium, 900 Hillsboro Ave. (Route 157), Edwardsville.

Dr. Hughes will respond to a variety of situations including: Why does divorce occur? Where does divorce begin and end? Is divorce always preceded by conflict? What kind of adjustment does divorce lead to? How does divorce affect the family? What are some things children can do to adjust to divorce?

The seminar is planned as a training meeting for 55 Homemakers Extension Association lay teachers, but anyone interested may attend. Local leaders will repeat the information in a one-hour program for their HEA units in March and April.

SMASHES WINDOW

A youth wearing a blue and red jogging suit and a dark colored ski mask threw an object which broke a window, Shirley Miller, 1916 Joy Ave., reported during the weekend. The neighborhood was searched for the youth, who appeared to be about 15 years old and was riding a blue and silver bicycle, reports noted.

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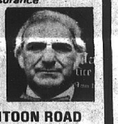
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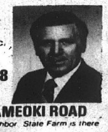
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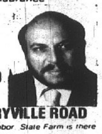
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Man with youth is charged with theft

Robert E. Bolin, 20, of 2004 Dewey Ave., was charged with theft at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in connection with the possession of a police scanner, allegedly stolen Jan. 29 from the home of Tina Rolen, 2125 Illinois Ave.

In a court appearance the same day, Bolin pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $500. He also entered a guilty plea to a charge of not having a valid driver's license and was fined $50. He was released on his own recognizance.

The traffic charge was filed at 5:05 a.m. Tuesday when Bolin was stopped while allegedly driving an auto near Dewey and Illinois avenues.

A 14-year-old boy in the car apparently took the vehicle without the permission of his parents and had picked up Bolin at his home, reports alleged.

The boy was charged with a curfew violation and released to his mother on notice to appear for a hearing. The mother also was advised to contact the Granite City juvenile officer.

Bar Assn. picks officers

The Tri-City Bar Association at its meeting of Thursday, January 24, 1985 elected the following officers to serve until January 1986: President Robert Bosslet of Granite City, Vice-President John J. Hopkins of Granite City, Treasurer Dennis J. Orsey of Granite City and Secretary Barbara S. Joiner of Edwardsville.

News Notes

Sen. Sam M. Vadalabene of this district was appointed Tuesday by Illinois Senate Pres. Philip J. Rock as head of the Senate Democratic caucus, a leadership post previously held by the late Sen. Gene Johns of Marion. Sen. Vince Demuzio of Carlinville was renamed as an assistant majority leader but Sen. Kenneth Hall of East St. Louis was reduced from assistant majority leader to Appropriations II chairman.

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Collinsville Township Supervisor Terry Allan has been named a trustee of the Madison County Transit Board, replacing Edwardsville Supervisor Robert Stille. Stille is now on the Madison County Board and only one such member may serve on the transit board, headed by William Haine of the County Board.

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No one testified at a hearing Monday on proposed major changes in the Madison County zoning law.

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Illinois Comptroller Roland W. Burris is a new vice-chairman of the national Democratic party, now headed by Paul Kirk. The Democratic black caucus favored Gary, Ind., Mayor Richard Hatcher but Burris, also a black, defeated him in the general voting. Dorothy Bush was re-elected as secretary and vice-chairmen renamed were Lynn Cutler and Polly Baca.

Lotto winner

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pool totals $228,169, which she said will be split with the other family members. "This is a family thing. We agreed that if anyone won, we would split it, so we are." Each of the six family members will received $38,028, most of which she said will be wisely invested.

She did say that part of her money will be used to buy a new car. "I'm going to get a new car. I've been looking for one, but didn't know if I could afford it."

She also works as a part-time swimming instructor for the North St. Louis County YMCA in Florissant.

"WHEN I went to school Monday, all of my friends were teasing me, saying 'What are you doing here?'," she said.

She also wanted to clear up a couple of things reported about her in several area newspapers. One newspaper reported that she might continue her education at a four-year college, but she says she has never entertained the thought, since she will be graduating in May and has already received several job offers in the commerical art field, which is what she wants to do.

Also, another local paper reported that she formerly worked at the Reese Drug Store in Bellemore Village and had lost her job as a result of the Dec. 26 fire which destroyed it. "I never worked at Reese's," she said. She did indicate that she was hired at Gasen's because its volume of sales had increased since the Reese store burned, necessitating the hiring of extra help.

"I WAS relieved and my parents were relieved when we found out I didn't win it all," she said. "We have a real close family and don't want to change our lifestyle," she said, indicating that when other people have won millions of dollars it has apparently changed their lives a lot, and not necessarily for the better.

She said she won't be playing the "Lotto" game anymore because she's won enough money and thinks everyone should share in the money.

"I think everybody should win," she said.

ADOPT ME. Benji, a 2-year-old male terrier-mix, is available for adoption at the APA Shelter, 5000 Old Alton Road. Benji is wormed and housebroken. For more information, interested persons may call the shelter at 931-7030. Shelter hours are Mondays, 10 a.m. to noon; Tuesdays, 4 to 6 p.m.; Wednesdays, 5 to 8 p.m.; Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Fridays, noon to 3 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and Sundays, noon to 3 p.m.

(Press-Record Photo)

Bond funds are invested

The Granite City school district has received the proceeds of its $6.6 million bond issue and has invested the money, Finance Director Norman Owca said after Tuesday night's Board of Education meeting.

"On Dec. 31, all necessary paper work for the working cash fund bonds was completed and filed with Madison County Clerk Evelyn Bowles," Owca told the Press-Record.

"On that day, Blunt, Ellis and Loewi. an investment banking firm with offices in Chicago and Belleville, agreed to 10.5441 percent accrued interest to be earned on the $6,600,000 until the bonds were sold by them.

"During January, Blunt, Ellis and Loewi succeeded in selling the bonds at a net interest rate of 10.3728121 percent with a closing date of Jan. 31.

"At 1 p.m. Jan. 31, the school district received a check for $6,659,104 which included $59,104 accrued interest earned from Dec. 31 to Jan. 30."

In a related action, the board has approved payment of $1,106 to Arthur J. Gallagher & Co., St. Louis for a one-year school treasurer performance bond.

The performance bond was obtained in connection with receipt of proceeds from the general obligation bond issue, which was approved by voters Nov. 6. Goal of the working cash fund bonds was to transfer most of District Nine's operating debt from short-term to 10 years.

MAN EXPOSURES SELF

An Edwardsville woman told police that a man in his late 20's unzipped his clothing and deliberately exposed himself as she was turning onto Kate Street from East 27th Street at 1:40 p.m. Monday. The man was about 5 feet, 9 inches tall, medium build and had light brown hair. He was wearing a dark blue billed cap, jeans and a blue jean jacket, she said.

Modern Woodmen honor GC youth

Barbara Blanton of Granite City recently was honored for her outstanding leadership of young people during 1984 as director of Modern Woodmen of America junior service club 3791-1, in Granite City.

She led her club to merit status, an honor given by Modern Woodmen to recognize youth leaders for top-level performance.

Judging in the merit club contest is based on monthly meetings and programs, participation in community activities and on the number of children who join a club during the year. A club's community service projects also are considered.

Modern Woodmen of America's youth clubs are organizations for children who are members of Modern Woodmen and are 16 years of age or younger. The clubs follow a fraternal youth program which provides children with opportunities to paricipate in social, civic, educational and fraternal activities.

Sheryll Blanton of Granite City assisted in leading the club.

Moden Woodmen supports more than 400 junior service and teen clubs throughout the United States. During 1984, 233 clubs attained merit club status.

Modern Woodmen of America is a fraternal life insurance society with home offices in Rock Island, Ill.

Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

GIRLS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kult, 2613 Westmoreland Drive, Feb. 2, Brittany Ann, 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. David Schermer, 2822 State St., Feb. 2, Kristen Angela, 8 pounds, 3 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wade, 4103 Kirkpatick Homes, Feb. 2, Amber Dawn, 6 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Shawn Allen, 20 Iris Ave., Feb. 3, Aimie Leigh, 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Perryman, 4191 Reveille Land, Feb. 4, Jessica Sue, 6 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Krekovich, 2709 Madison Ave., Feb. 4, Lindsay Marie, 6 pounds, 8 ounces.

BOYS

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McElroy, 3035 Sinclair Ave., Feb. 2, Zachary Lee, 6 pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Doolittle, 1725 Primrose Ave., Feb. 3, Jarred Edward, 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

THREE-WHEELER BIKE TAKEN

Larry Jordan of 2009 Beckwith Ave., Madison, told police earlier this week, that someone took a Honda three-wheeler that he parked in his backyard. It is believed the vehicle was pushed up the alley, and then east to Farrish Street. The bike, which is valued at $2,000, is owned by Mike W. Jordan, 2709 Buxton Ave.

CAUCUS CHAIRMAN. State Senator Sam Vadalabene (D-Edwardsville) has been appointed caucus chairman of the democratic majority in the Illinois Senate. The 14-year veteran was appointed by Senate President Philip J. Rock (D-Oak Park). "Senator Vadalabene's many years of service and dedication make him the obvious choice for this post," Rock said. Vadalabene also has been named vice chairman on the Senate Committee on Executive Appointments and he was reappointed to the Appropriations II, Executive and Higher Education committees.

Venice home is invaded, burglar takes cash, guns

A Venice man was robbed of some personal items, but was not harmed, when his home was invaded early Tuesday morning by a young man carrying a small automatic weapon.

Edgar Woodfolk of 1034 Douglas St., Venice, told police that a man wearing a stocking over his head, broke into his home through a basement window and then burst through the door leading to his living quarters.

Police noted that besides a broken window and damaged door, the wiring from all three telephones had been pulled from the walls.

Taken was $125 in cash, one diamond ring valued at $500, a .38 caliber handgun and a $25 caliber automatic gun.

Police checked outside of the home and followed some footprints believed to be those of the robber, to the Viola Jones Homes complex, where the man apparently got into a car and drove away.

The man has been described as 25 years old, 5'5" tall, wearing a jacket, dark pants and gloves.

CHARGE TWO MEN WITH CANNABIS POSSESSION

Two men allegedly seen through a beer garden fence passing a cigarette and laughing were questioned by officers during the weekend at the Sports Tap Tavern, 916 Niedringhaus Ave.

Jerry Ray Sedabres, 28, of 2816 Edwards St., who allegedly had a bag of cannabis in his pants pocket, and Stephen Craig Lindner, 24, of Florissant, Mo., were both charged with unlawful possession of cannabis and were released after each posted $52 cash bail, pending court appearances.

MAN IS STABBED AFTER DISPUTE WITH FRIEND

Dale Wayne Endicott of 1419 Third St., Madison, told police at 5:20 p.m. Monday, that he was stabbed by a woman who asked him to come to her residence. Endicott said after stabbing him twice in the chest with a knife, she pushed him down the steps leading to her residence. He was taken by the Madison Fire Department Ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

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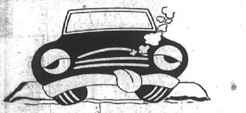

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Course to aid arthritis victims

By JOYCE MITCHELL

St. Elizabeth Medical Center and the Central Illinois Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation will co-sponsor a six-week arthritis self-help class beginning March 7. The class will be limited to 12 people and will be conducted in the medical center's Wiesman Room from 1 to 3 p.m. each Thursday.

The fee will be $10 to cover the cost of printed materials. Nadine Rains, coordinator of the Central Illinois Chapter, will be the instructor.

The self-help course will enable arthritis suffers to have more control over their disease and, therefore, more control of their lives, she said.

The course has three basic concepts: There is no single correct treatment of arthritis because each person with the disease is different. Those with arthritis can do a variety of things to feel better. And, with proper education, a person can determine which self-management techniques are most successful for him or her.

According to Mrs. Rains, studies of people who have completed the course show a reduction in pain, as well as increases in frequency of exercise, relaxation, and overall knowledge of arthritis.

"Much of what we teach is common-sense living and what is right for one's lifestyle and disease," said Mrs. Rains. "For example, dealing with pain and stress are common problems for many people with arthritis. The self-help course teaches relaxation techniques helpful in managing the effects of stress."

Participants also will learn how to prevent fatigue and maintain their energy level, how to protect joints, reducing pain and deformity, and how to detect questionable remedies. Mrs. Rains added, "The atmosphere of the course is supportive and encouraging. By participating with others, people learn that they are not alone, and they can leave the course with better control of their bodies."

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NEW LIFE PARTY SUPPORTERS. Madison mayoral candidate John Bellcoff, at center holding bow, cuts the ribbon this week to officially open the New Life Party headquarters, Fourth Street and Madison Avenue. Many of the supporters who attended the headquarters open house braved the cold weather to witness the ribbon cutting outside the old Madison Bank building. Bellcoff, the current city clerk, heads the party for city offices in the April 2 election.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Chouteau receives OK to use drainage funds

Walter "Dick" Sparks, supervisor of Chouteau Township, reported Monday night that he has received a unanimous positive response from area leaders concerning his request of $14,500 from Madison County's Community Development discretionary funds.

The discretionary funds will go towards the preparation and installing of a new drainage system in the Long Lake Estates Subdivision, Sparks explained during the Chouteau Town Board's regular meeting.

"THE COMMUNITY developers were notified of the money and the project should be completed within 45 calendar days, weather permitting," Town Clerk Patricia Polley said. March 13, 1985, is the expected date of completion.

Granite City, Madison, Venice and Nameoki and Chouteau townships all agreed to allow Chouteau to use their discretionary funds as a "loan," to be repaid as Chouteau donates its discretionary funds in the future back to those governmental agencies.

The board held a brief discussion on the ambulance situation in Chouteau. Sparks said the Wood River ambulances will transport Chouteau residents to any hospital they request. The average transport time and amount of vehicles is unknown, Sparks said.

TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS may choose, instead, to pay a $25 subscription to Campbell Ambulance Service. Only subscribers will be aided by Campbell. Mrs. Polley told concerned citizens that Medicare will cover the ambulance cost if the citizen is a subscriber.

In other business, Sparks read a letter from the Old Six Mile Historical Society announcing their anniversary May 18. The society also extended an invitation to their meetings, held at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

The next Chouteau Town Board meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 18. Although that date is George Washington's birthday, the board decided to conduct the meeting, as scheduled.

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Park district officials set schedule for weekend trips

The Granite City Park District has announced weekend trips scheduled for the upcoming months. These dates are given out for those persons who are interested and need to make arrangements at their place of employment.

The first trip will be May 17, 18 and 19 to Grand Rapids, Mich., to visit the Tulip Festival in Holland, Mich. Word was just received of availability of rooms there. Last year was the first time the park group traveled to that area, and many residents had to be turned away the morning the trip was sold.

On June 21, 22 and 23, reservations have been made in Memphis, Tenn., to visit Graceland (the late Elvis Presley's home), the river area called "Mud Island," and other spots of interest.

The July trip will be the 19, 20 and 21 to Nashville, Tenn., to visit the Grand Ol' Opry and Opryland.

On August 16, 17 and 18, the group will be traveling to the dairyland of the U.S.A. and the cheese capitol of Wisconsin. The trip to New Glarus, Wis., will take in the countryside scenery, historical Swiss villages and cheese industries. This trip is new for the park district.

The final weekend trip for 1985 will be Sept. 27, 28 and 29 to Branson, Mo. to enjoy the National Craft Festival at Silver Dollar City and attend country western shows.

Park officials remind the public that park district residents have priority on these trips and non-residents are placed on a waiting list.

Detailed information will follow on each individual trip. At this time, costs have not been determined. Reservations will not be taken until an article describing each trip with costs and date of registration is published.

Notices list state refunds

Notices informing Illinois taxpayers of the state tax refunds paid to them in 1984 have been sent to taxpayers by the Illinois Department of Revenue.

The notices (1099G) are required by the federal government under the Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982 (TEFRA). Section 313 of the act requires that taxpayers who itemize deductions be notified of their state tax refunds and credits carried forward in order to assure that they report them correctly on their current federal 1040 tax form.

Internal Revenue Service statistics show that approximately 1.8 million returns — or 38 percent of those filed from Illinois addresses — itemize deductions on their federal returns.

In most instances, taxpayers are required to report state tax refunds as income. The amount is to be included on line 10 of the federal 1040. However, the amount can be deducted on line 4G of the state tax return, IL-1040 (see instructions for IL-1040).

Taxpayers with questions about the 1099G notices they received can contact the Illinois Department of Revenue in Springfield at 1-217-782-3336 or in Chicago at 1-312-641-2150. Questions about federal tax requirements should be directed to the Internal Revenue Service at 1-800-424-1040, toll free.

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'Teacher in Space' may be a Madisonian

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

"The right stuff" is required of those aspiring to soar into space. With President Ronald Reagan urging that a teacher be aboard a 1986 space shuttle mission, Alice M. Purdes of Madison has high hopes of being chosen as the right person for that assignment.

"Send a teacher into space" has become a primary goal of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and Dr. Purdes has the credentials as an educator and communicator to be considered, her friends here assert.

GED EDUCATOR (general educational development educator) and adult literacy coordinator at the Venice Lincoln Technical Center, the 31-year teacher is one of 3,000 teachers nationally whose applications were submitted by the Feb. 1 deadline.

Suspense will continue until April 30, when 120 candidates will be named—two from each state and 20 from various agencies.

The field will be narrowed to 10 semifinalists July 4 after a June national workshop for the state and agency nominees.

FIVE FINALISTS will be announced in August, and the following month the selected teacher and an alternate will be disclosed. Training lasting 120 hours will be provided for each of the two during the fall months.

Why would a teacher want to be the first U.S. private citizen in space? In particular, why does Dr. Purdes want to be? She replies:

"For too many years, teachers and education have been subordinate to science, industry, technology and many professions which play an important part in our daily lives.

"Even though teachers may be distinguished, learned, enthusiastic, businesslike, clear and precise in their instruction, the rewards for their endeavors are minimal. As a result, those who choose education as a profession are becoming fewer and fewer.

"**AS THE NUMBER** of teaching applicants decreases, the fees for a college education are rising, thus making the teaching field even less attractive.

"Since teachers are accorded little of the recognition and respect given to members of many other professions, inclusion of a female teacher in the space program might be a means of assuaging some of these negative feelings and misconceptions.

"Whether I personally am the first citizen chosen probably is not as important as the fact that a teacher is to participate in the adventures of space."

STILL ANOTHER reason why Dr. Purdes might be considered for the NASA mission is that she has been "everywhere else" except space.

Few Americans have traveled as extensively as she has, both in the U.S. and in the far corners of "Spaceship Earth."

Through photographs, recordings, souvenirs and narrations, she has brought her world trips vividly to life for many audiences, meanwhile enriching her students' knowledge, associates report.

AN ADDED DIMENSION of her application is a proposed special project, determining the effects of zero gravity on sinusitis.

Controlled conditions in the space shuttle might help isolate such contributing aspects as climate, dampness and drafts, she believes, explaining:

"To isolate one individual who is susceptible to the factors which commonly result in sinusitus on earth might give scientists and researchers a beginning for alleviating this common problem. Studies of related problems such as allergies, colds, influenze and other respiratory ailments would also benefit."

DR. ALICE PURDES

HER EDUCATIONAL background includes an associate of arts degree from Belleville Area College, where she studied music and physical education, and bachelor of science and master of science degrees in music education at Illinois State University.

She supervised music in the Princeton, Ill., schools and then in 1955 became director of music in the Venice school system.

Dr. Purdes directed the high school chorus and taught high school music history for 23 years. A veteran of 12 years as a Venice Elementary School intermediate teacher, she for the past two years has taught adults at the local technical center.

THE SORBONNE, University of Paris, granted her a certificate for French language, history and culture in 1964.

Recipient of the Venice district's first sabbatical leave, in 1970, she enrolled in Florida State University and later received there the degree of doctor of philosophy in humanities.

Her dissertation employed audio-visual learning units on India's cultural heritage. It included two two-hour tapes and 252 accompanying photo slides.

SHE PROPOSES upon completing a space flight in early 1986 to conclude post-flight duties with NASA and then tell of her experiences to civic groups, government agencies and educational institutions.

She and other applicants already are speculating on another possibility—authoring a book, "First Teacher in Space."

Among those recommending her to the space agency was Peter C. Ponce, director of adult and continuing education at Venice Lincoln Technical Center. He points out:

"**TEACHER OF THE YEAR** recognition in Madison County in 1975 attests to her teaching ability and creativity. She approaches each new challenge with enthusiasm."

Even if not selected for the national honor, Dr. Purdes expects to remain active, just as she has in a wide range of community programs over the past three decades.

She devoted a year as volunteer director of the Men's Army Chorus at the former Granite City Engineer Depot and has helped present many Madison-Venice Fine Arts Council programs to grade school classes.

CYSTIC FIBROSIS campaign chairman at present, she also is coordinator of the president's new federal program on literacy.

She is a past president of Travelers Abroad, the Quad-City area group of world travelers.

Dr. Purdes has provided awards for foreign students studying in the U.S. and scholarships for Venice High School graduates. She is a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Madison.

Summing up her education goal, she says it is to be able to reply affirmatively to the question, "Does my teaching contribute to the welfare of the students affected by my efforts?"

Duties on steel imports

The Commerce Department announced plans June 11, 1982, to levy duties on steel imports.

GC library to erect sign for parking lot

Granite City aldermen approved a resolution Tuesday night to allow the city's public library at 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard to erect a sign for its library parking lot.

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P245/60R-14	FR/GR60-14	159.71	62.95
P235/60R-15	FR/GR60-15	161.26	60.95
P275/60R-15	LR60-15	185.78	69.95
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P255/70R-15	LR70-15	172.02	63.95

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SCHOLARSHIP DONATION. Earl Tucker, right, presents a $25 check to Willing Workers of America President Steve Ortiz, left, for the organization's scholarship fund. Tucker spoke to the group during its January meeting.

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Tucker talks to Willing Workers

The Willing Workers of America conducted a regular monthly meeting recently at the Tri-City Area YMCA, Vice President Ike Pasley led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Brenda Derby read the minutes of the November meeting in the absence of Secretary Bob Lewis.

Earl Tucker, independent candidate for Granite City Township assessor, was the first guest speaker. He gave a brief talk about taxes.

Tucker also donated $25 to the Willing Workers Scholarship Fund.

Also speaking at the meeting was Shirley Blasingame of the Venice Lincoln Technical Center. She explained the free, adult education courses offered at the center.

YMCA Director Jerry Swatling asked for volunteers for a painting project, and a group will meet today or Friday.

Miss Derby reported on Project Help's benefit chili dance on Jan. 19. Refreshments at the meeting were provided by President Steve Ortiz and Trustee Skip Kidman. The next meeting of the Willing Workers is scheduled for Feb. 22.

Klincar renamed to prisoner review

Gov. James. R. Thompson has appointed Calvin Manshio to the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC), named Salvatore Pisano to the Prisoner Review Board and reappointed Paul Klincar and Rafael Nieves to that board.

Manshio, 37, Chicago, is an attorney in private practice and has been the interim administrator for Asian Human Services of Chicago, Inc. for the past year.

Manshio will be paid $39,000 a year as a member of the ICC. His appointment, effective immediately, requires Senate confirmation and expires Jan. 20, 1986. The five-member commission is responsible for regulation of public utilities.

Pisano, 53, is superintendent of the Peoria police department. He replaces Ethel Gingold, Springfield, on the Prisoner Review Board and will assume duties upon Senate confirmation.

Terms for Nieves, 52, Chicago, and Klincar, 59, Belleville, take effect immdiately. The terms of all three board members require Senate conformation and expire Jan. 21, 1991. Pisano and Nieves will receive $40,000 a year.

Klincar, chairman of the Review Board, will receive $45,000 annually. The 10-member board grants or denies parole to eligible prisoners and specifies the terms of parole.

Two die of injuries sustained in accident

Larry Ray Good, 26, of Highland, and Timothy Jackson, 20, of Troy, were fatally injured when struck by an automobile during the weekend, on Route 143, one mile east of Interstate 270.

According to a police report, the two men were fist fighting in the roadway when the car driven by Jim Bielong, 20, of Highland, struck both men. The two were pronounced dead at the scene by James Laughlin, Madison County deputy coroner, and Bielong was taken to St. Joseph Hospital in Highland and transferred to a St. Louis Hospital.

Bielong could not be interviewed because of his injuries, the Illinois State Police said.

Mr. Good is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Good Sr., of Highland, and the late Mrs. Kathleen Deien Good who died in 1961. The father worked through the Laborer's Local in Granite City for many yearss.

Mr. Good was born in St. Louis and lived in Highland. He worked for B-Line Systems in Highland and Troy area for four years. Previously he worked for Central Illinois Truck Center in Highland.

He was a member of the Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland.

Other survivors include his sister, Mrs. John (Linda) Haase of Pocahontas, Ill.; four brothers, First Lieutenant R. E. Dwayne Sorrell of the U.S. Army stationed in Batzbach, Germany, Raymond Good Jr., Indianapolis, Ind., Eric J. Good and Jonathon N. Good, both of Highland; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ashford of Birmington, England, and Mrs. Lena Deien of Albers, Ill.

Visitation for Mr. Good was Monday at Spengel-Boulander Funeral Home, 1501 Ninth St., Highland, where services were conducted by the Rev. Kenneth Mesle, Tuesday, Feb. 5. Burial was in Highland City Cemetery.

The Rev. Ronald Hilmer conducted funeral services Tuesday, Feb. 5, at Laughlin Funeral Home, Troy, Ill., for Timothy Martin Jackson. Burial was in Friedens Cemetery, Troy.

Valentine's dance slated for seniors

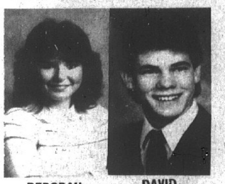
Granite City Township Supervisor Nelson Hagnauer has announced that the annual Valentine's dance for residents 55 years old and older is scheduled for 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the township hall, 2060 Delmar Ave.

The free event is being co-hosted by the Granite City Park District.

Howard Bolten and the Alley Cat Band will provide dancing music, and refreshments will be served. Featured will be the crowning of the Granite City Township King and Queen of Hearts.

The township buses will provide transportation, which can be arranged by calling 877-8584.

Elks Lodge 1063 announces 'Teenagers of the Month'



DEBORAH BRANDT — DAVID MENENDEZ

The "Teenagers of Month" for November have been announced by Granite City Elks Lodge 1063. They are Deborah Brandt and David Menendez. Both are seniors at Granite City High School.

Students at the school are nominated by their classmates and teachers each month and the two "Teenagers of the Month" are then selected by a panel of fellow students and teachers. The two are selected on the basis of multiple achievement, citizenship, scholarship and leadership.

Miss Brandt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brandt, is active in sports at the school. She has served as co-captain of the volleyball team in addition to being the captain of the basketball team her first year. She also is active in track and is the sergeant-at-arms for the Varsity Club.

Her hobbies include officiating at soccer games and coaching 7 to 9-year-old girls' softball.

Menendez, son of Arthur and Carolyn Menendez, is a member of the varsity tennis team. He is presently the president of the Science Club and is enrolled in the secondary honors program at the school and was a member of the 1984 Homecoming court.

He works part-time in addition to his school activities.

The local Elks Lodge sponsors the program in an effort to bring recognition to outstanding young men and women in the community.

Orientation slated at GC High School

Granite City High School officials have announced a schedule for the school's freshmen orientation program. The orientation sessions will be conducted in three, 7 p.m. sessions: Wednesday, Feb. 13, for incoming freshmen whose last names begin with A through L; Thursday, Feb. 14, for incoming freshmen whose last names begin with M through Z, and Monday, Feb. 18, for honor students.

School officials advise students that they must be accompanied by their parents. School officials also urge all students who will be freshmen at the high school next year to attend the orientation.

Child care program extends hours Feb. 12

The Tri-City Area YMCA child care program will extend its hours on Tuesday, Feb. 12, to accomodate the Lincoln's Birthday holiday.

The program will begin at 7:30 a.m. and run until 6 p.m. on that day only. The fee will be $9. Interested parents may contact the "Y" at 876-7200.

News notes

Cong. Melvin Price will continue to chair the research and development subcommittee as well as being named chairman emeritus of the House Armed Services Committee, now led by Cong. Les Aspin. Price had agreed to give up the subcommittee post if re-elected as committee chairman but lost a 121-118 Decratic caucus vote.

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Attorney General Neil F. Hartigan last week announced formal opening of new regional offices in Granite City and Carbondale; he also has full-time offices in Rockford, Rock Island, Peoria, Mount Vernon and Quincy. The office at 1314 Niedringhaus Ave. headed by Dennis J. Orsey serves Madison, Jersey, Greene, Calhoun, Macoupin, Fayette, Bond and Montgomery counties.

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Central Baptist Children's Home, 1803 Ramada Blvd., Collinsville, became the Madison-Bond counties headquarters for the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services late last week.

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James R. Thompson, Monday became the longest-serving governor in Illinois history. He was elected in November 1976 and will complete his third term (a two-year and two four-year terms) next year. And he may run for a fourth term; the decision is to be made this summer.

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Sen. Paul Simon plans to oppose confirming Edwin Meese as U.S. attorney general.

DRIVER IS INJURED AT PONTOON AND NAMEOKI

In a collision at Pontoon and Nameoki roads early this week, Samuel M. Ragusa, 48, of Crystal City, Mo., sustained injuries, but declined to have immediate medical attention.

Ragusa's auto, traveling east on Pontoon Road, allegedly crossed the center line and struck a pickup truck, operated by Henry L. Whitehead, 54, of 2177 Robert St.

Whitehead's truck was stopped at the traffic light, facing west, while waiting to make a left turn on Nameoki Road, reports said.

Ragusa was cited for improper lane usage. He is to appear for a hearing March 8.

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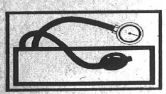

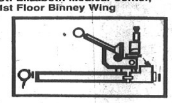

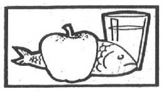

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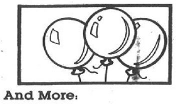

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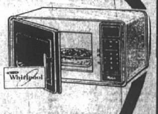

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Public aid is nearly a third of state costs

Illinois Comptroller Roland W. Burris has reported that the single largest expenditure from the state's general funds in fiscal 1984 was for public aid programs — more than 30-cents of every dollar spent.

Expenditures by the Department of Public Aid from the general funds increased nearly 73 percent over the past decade. Most of the spending increase was for medical assistance.

Although the Illinois economy improved in certain areas in 1984, the number of aid recipients increased.

Burris said:

— In fiscal 1984, more than 30.7 percent of total general expenditures was for public aid, making it the state's largest spending program. Over the past decade, expenditures increased 72.9 percent from $1.692 billion in fiscal 1975 to $2.925 billion in 1984.

Throughout the decade, public aid accounted for about one-third of total general funds spending — a peak of 34.1 percent in 1976 to 30.7 percent now.

— Most public aid money went for medical assistance and income support for the needy.

While the department spent $211 million for its operations in 1984, those costs accounted for only 7.2 percent of its spending. With the growing cost of medical care, and increasing portion of public aid was devoted to purchase of medical services.

In 1975, the total of $743 million for medical assistance accounted for 43.9 percent of public aid spending, while spending of $693 million for aid to families with dependent children (AFDC) accounted for 41 percent.

By 1984, medical assistance had grown to $1.580 billion and was 54 percent of total spending, while AFDC accounted for 28.8 percent.

Cost-containment measures during the state's fiscal crisis kept fiscal 1983 medical assistance spending to about the same amount as the previous year, and 1984 spending was limited to a 1.6 percent increase.

— With the growth in public aid there was a concurrent increase in federal reimbursements. As was the case with spending, a rising share of federal reimbursements was for medical assistance, while the share of AFDC reimbursements declined.

In 1975, $396 million or 49.3 percent of deposits into the Public Aid Trust Fund were for AFDC reimbursements compared to $362 million or 45 percent as reimbursements for medical assistance.

By 1984, medical assistance reimbursements of $778 million were more than double the figure of a decade ago, while AFDC increased just 2.1 percent to $444 million.

Illinois public aid funding problems were — and continue to be — aggravated by reimbursement formulas which favor other states at the expense of Illinois.

States with lower per captia personal incomes had greater reimbusement rates. Illinois and 12 other states qualiied for a 50 percent AFDC and medicaid asistance reimbursement while other state's reimbusement rates increased to a maximum of 77.63 percent.

— In fiscal 1984, 1.102 million people, or 9.6 percent of the Illinois population, were eligible for medical assistance payment, up 24,000 eligibles or 2.2 percent from the previous year.

The largest portion of medical assistance was for purchase of hospital services. In 1982, hospital spending reached a peak of $842 million, $520 million greater or 2.6 times the 1975 spending of $322 million.

Due to spending control provisions, hospital spending declined to $748 million in 1983 and $783 million in 1984, or 49.6 percent of all medical assistance expenditures.

Group care, mainly nursing homes, was the second largest spending category, receiving $455 million in 1984, or 28.8 percent of all medical assistance spending, almost 2.5 times the 1975 spending of $184 million.

Of the other vendor classes, payments to physicians increased 24 percent to $124 million in 1984. Payments or prescription drugs rose 67.1 percent to $117 million.

— During the decade, the average number of income assistance recipients fluctuated with the condition of the Illinois economy. In the economic recovery of 1976 to 1980, recipients decreased 15.9 percent from 918,000 to 772,000.

As the Illinois economy faltered the next three years, the number of recipients jumped. And although there were impovements in some areas of the economy in 1984, recipients increased to 923,000.

Income assistance was particularly important among children and teenagers, Burris said. Of the 734,000 persons receiving AFDC benefits during June 1984, 505,000 or 68.8 percent were 19 or under. This equalled 14.4 percent or about one out of every seven individuals under 20 living in Illinois.

— Through December 1984, fiscal 1985 appropriations from general funds totaled $3.082 billion, up $157 million or 5.4 percent. While the department weathered the financial crisis of prior years, it is not necessarily free from future problems.

During the past four years, Illinois' welfare population has grown faster than the total population. Another recession could cause an even larger increase in welfare recipients, Burris concluded; other programs, such as education, which have felt slighted in recent years, will provide strong competition for any increase in funding.

Area offices set holiday closings

Madison County Circuit Court Clerk Willard "Butch" Portell has announced that his office will be closed on Monday, Feb. 11, in observance of Lincoln's birthday. The office will reopen on Tuesday, Feb. 12.

In addition, he stated, the county courts will be closed Monday and reopen Tuesday.

Other governmental offices announcing holiday closings include the Illinois secretary of state's offices. All of those offices and facilities will be closed Tuesday, Feb. 12, for Lincoln's birthday and will reopen Wednesday, Feb. 13.

Downstate Drivers' Services facilities outside Cook County will be closed Saturday, Feb. 16, for Washington's Birthday and will resume business Tuesday, Feb. 19.

All other secretary of state offices and facilities will be closed Monday, Feb. 18, for Washington's Birthday and will reopen Tuesday, Feb. 19.

50-YEAR PIN. William Russell, right, exalted ruler of Granite City Elks' Lodge 1063, presents a special 50-year pin to C.E. "Corky" Townsend during the "Old Timers' Evening" event at the lodge. Townsend is the retired editor/publisher of the Granite City Press-Record. He joined the Elks in 1935 when he was a cub reporter for the Press-Record.

(Press-Record Photo)

Type-a-Thon to fight leukemia

For the second consecutive year, Madison High School is participating in a "Type-A-Thon" to combat leukemia during the month of February.

Typing students from Beverly Imming's classes will collect pledges for every word that they type correctly during a five-minute timing. Last year, 47 area high schools and colleges participated and raised more than $28,000 for the society's programs of research, patient financial assistance and education. Last year, Madison High School students raised $560 for the society for the type-a-thon program.

More information on leukemia and the work of the Society is available from the Leukemia Society of America, Inc., Illinois Chapter, 203 N. Wabash, Chicago, Ill. 60601, telephone 1-312-726-0003.

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Officials stress financial aid availability

The week of Feb. 11 through 15 has been proclaimed Financial Aid Awareness Week by Governor James R. Thompson. Persons who are interested in a college, university or technical education, but who cannot pay the entire cost, may be eligible for federal, state or local financial aid. State officials say grants, loans and work-study programs are awarded on the basis of demonstrated financial need or merit, college cost and availability of funds. They may be used for part- or full-time study.

Two major grants include the Illinois State Scholarship Commission's Monetary Award Program (ISSC), currently offering up to $2,400 annually toward tuition and fees for Illinois residents attending eligible Illinois institutions, and the federal Pell Grant, offering up to $2,100 per year toward educational expenses at over 7,000 post-high school institutions throughout the United States.

Three federal campus-based programs include the Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), providing up to $2,000 annually; College Work Study (CWS), allowing part of the educational expenses to be earned through work, and the National Direct Student Loan (NDSL), paid back at 5 percent interest starting six months after leaving school.

In Illinois, all five programs may be applied for by completing only one of three applications: Application for Federal Student Aid (AFSA), Financial Aid Form (FAF) or the Family Financial Statement (FFS). Applicants should contact their high school or college counselor to determine which form is required. Application should be made immediately for the 1985-86 school year.

Three other loan programs are available through direct application to participating banks. The Illinois Guaranteed Student Loan Program (IGLP) charges 8 percent interest which starts accumulating when repayment begins six months after leaving school. The Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS) allows parents to borrow at 12 percent interest without repayment starting immediately. The Auxiliary Loan to Assist Students (ALAS) allows borrowing at 12 percent interest, deferring payment of principal, but requiring interest payments while enrolled.

For deadlines and more specific details on federal, state and local financial aid programs, or to pick up applications, interested persons may contact their local high school or the financial aid office of the institution they plan to attend.

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Obituaries

Essie Byers

Mrs. Essie R. (Smith) Byers, 93, formerly of 2265 Edison Ave., died at the Colonnades at 5:20 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1985. She was a resident of the nursing facility for 2½ years and was ill for three days.

A native of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Byers lived in this area since 1930. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and also held membership in the Bay View Reading Club, Etude Music group and the Mizpah at the church.

Her husband, James C. Byers, died in 1969.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. Richard Byers of Peoria, Ill., and Dr. James Clifton Byers of Granite City; one brother, Steele Smith of Anderson, Ind., and three grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 3 p.m today at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where the Rev. Richard Hunt will officiate at 11 a.m. services Friday, Feb. 8. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Velma Finney

Mrs. Velma J. (Stover) Finney, 71, of Granite City, ill for several years, died at 11:58 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was hospitalized one month.

Born Sikeston, Mo., Mrs. Finney lived in this area almost all her lifetime. She formerly owned Velma's Confectionary, located on 25th Place, and worked for United Way as a consultant several years before retiring in 1982.

Mrs. Finney was a member of the Women of the Moose, Chapter 247, and Quad-City Navy Mothers, Chapter 850.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Phillip Finney, 10 years ago, and a brother, Thomas Stover.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Charles (Ida) Grisson and Mrs. Rosa Eilers, both of Fort Myers, Fla., and Mrs. Charles (Alice) Bingaman of Sugarland, Texas.; three sisters, Mrs. Nellie Bell and Mrs. Ella Snider, both of St. Louis, and Mrs. Helen Black of Caruthersville, Mo.; five grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and eight great-great-granchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. today, Feb. 7, at Mercer Mortuary Chapel, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., with burial in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardville Township. Memorials are requested for the American Lung Association.

Lowell Johnson

Lowell Johnson, 73, of New Douglas, Ill., formerly of Granite City, died at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1985, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville.

He was born in Lutzville, Mo., on April 6, 1911, and lived in Granite City for many years. He moved to his present address about 10 years ago.

While living in this area, he worked for American Car in St. Louis and retired there in 1974. He was a member of American Legion Post 710 in New Douglas.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Frances Johnson; one daughter, Mrs. Debra June Robertson of New Douglas; two grandchildren; five brothers and three sisters.

Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. today at Lesicko Funeral Home in New Douglas where funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Gormley at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8. Burial will be in New Douglas City Cemetery.

Hugh Murphy

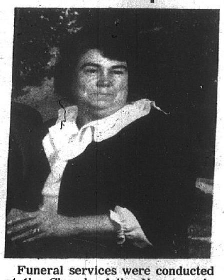
Hugh H. Murphy, 76, a lifelong resident of Granite City, died at 4:55 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Ill for one month, he was hospitalized five days.

Mr. Murphy worked at Granite City Steel from Jan. 26, 1929, until he retired on Jan. 31, 1970, as a shop foreman.

His only survivor is a cousin, Hazel Murphy of Granite City.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. today at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., where funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 3. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. The Rev. Hugh Wallace will officiate.

LaVern Heiple



Funeral services were conducted at the Church of the Nazarene in Tilden, Ill., on Jan. 11, for Mrs. LaVern "Vernie" Heiple, 51, of Coulterville, Ill., formerly of Madison.

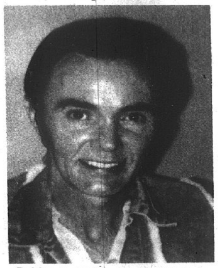
She died Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1985, in Belleville Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Heiple was born in Pinckneyville, Ill., and married Carl "Corky" Heiple on May 31, 1950. She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene and Royal Neighbors of Coulterville.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Tommy of Coulterville and Danny Ray at home; two daughters, Diane Kitchen of Swanwick and Joyce Ann Lambert of Coulterville; a sister, Delores Clesielski of Gary, Ind.

Burial was in the Coulterville City Cemetery.

Bobby Naler



Bobby C. Naler, 44, of 3818 Lake St., Pontoon Beach, died at 6:45 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, 1985, at Firmin Desloge—St. Louis University Hospitals, St. Louis.

Mr. Naler had been hospitalized with apparent head injuries since Jan. 28, when he fell at the Granite City Pickling plant, located in the former General Steel Industries building.

At the time of the accident, employees told paramedics that Mr. Naler had fallen behind some machinery and struck his forehead on a piece of steel. He was unconscious when the ambulance crew arrived at the plant at 6:20 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28.

Mr. Naler was transported initially to St. Elizabeth Medical Center and 40 minutes later was transferred to St. Louis University—Firmin Desloge's severe trauma facility.

Born in Columbia, Tenn., Mr. Naler resided here for 25 years. Previously, he lived in Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

He was a member of the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers Union and was employed by Cauffiel Machinery of St. Louis, which has a sub-plant operation at the Granite City Pickling facility.

Mr. Naler also was a member of Tri-City Park Tabernacle Church.

Among the survivors are three sons, Bobby Naler of Granite City, Steven Naler, who is based with the U.S. Navy at Long Beach, Calif., and Tommy Naler, stationed with the U.S. Army in West Germany; three daughters, Mrs. Michael (Laura) Jackson and Misses Theresa and Tammy Naler, all of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Frank (Jean) Wilson of Alabama and Mrs. Albert (Susie) Tankersley of Huntsville, Ala., and one grandchild.

Visitation begins after 4 p.m. today at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where services will take place at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8. Burial will be in Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Robert Wagoner

Robert D. Wagoner, 80, a former Granite City resident, died at 12:20 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, 1985, at Oliver C. Anderson Hospital, Maryville.

Born in Southern Illinois, Mr. Wagoner was a resident of Edwardsville at the time of his death. He formerly was employed as an engineer.

He was a member of the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Collinsville, and the Masonic Triple Lodge 835 of Granite City.

Mr. Wagoner was preceded in death by three brothers, three sisters and one great-grandson.

Among the survivors are his wife, the former Mary Louise Wilson; two daughters, Miss Ruby Wagoner of Edwardsville and Mrs. Pat (Mary) Hearne of East Peoria, Ill.; one son, Robert F. Wagoner of Edwardsville; one sister, Mrs. Jessie (Ola) Walton of Lutesville, Mo.; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 3:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at Herbert A. Kassly Funeral Home, 515 Vandalia, Collinsville. Funeral services will begin at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church in Collinsville, with the Rev. Ralph Dollar presiding. Burial will follow at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township. Memorials are requested for the American Diabetes Association.

Icie Weber

Mrs. Icie (Warfield) Greene Weber, 73, formerly of Granite City, died Tuesday evening, Feb. 5, 1985, at Dover Nursing Home in Dover, Tenn. A resident of Stewart County, Tenn., Mrs. Weber had been ill several years with cancer.

She was born as one of 12 children in Stewart County, Tenn., but lived in Granite City from 1942 to 1969. She was a retired dressmaker. Mrs. Weber was a Catholic.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, James A. Greene, in 1969, and her second husband, Moses Weber, in 1981. A son, James Greene Jr., died in 1972.

Survivors include two daughters, Berniece Roady of Dover, Tenn., and Betty Dennis of London, Ky.; a son, Rodney Greene of Marietta, Ga.; three sisters, Alda Ligon of Dixon, Tenn., Alean Daniels of Kerwin, Kan., and Lula Mae Clark of Granite City; two brothers, Thomas Warfield of Collinsville and John Warfield of Erin, Tenn., 11 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at Nave Funeral Home in Erin, Tenn. Burial will be in the Hamm Cemetery in Carlyle, Tenn.

Homer White

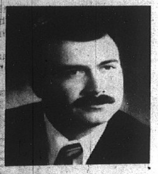
Homer White, 70, of 2805 Indiana Ave., a retired steelworker, died at 11 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, 1985, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville.

He was born in Flat River, Mo., April 1914 and lived in Collinsville before moving to this area 12 years ago.

Mr. White worked at Granite City Steel for many years and retired there in 1976. He attended Briarcliff Pentecostal Church and was a member of the VFW Post in Collinsville. He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ola (Jarrett) White; a stepson, Leonard Fowler of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Harper of Missouri and Mrs. Victoria Kent of Granite City; one brother, Jack White of Collinsville, and two stepgrandsons.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. Friday at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.



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NAUTILUS EQUIPMENT ARRIVES. Bob Slate, public relations representative for the Tri-City Area YMCA, tries out one of 12 Nautilus body-building machines delivered to the "Y" Wednesday. The newly-remodeled workout area is to open Feb. 18. Memberships now are available at the "Y" which include use of the new equipment. *(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)*

Charge Venice man with burglary

Lanny D. Brown, 28, of 503 Filmore Ave., Venice, was charged with burglary of an auto in an informational document issued to Granite City detectives through the Madison County state's attorney's office last week.

In a court appearance, bond was set at $1,002 cash. A mittimus was issued and he was transferred during the weekend to the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville.

The felony charge resulted from a Jan. 22 incident in which he allegedly entered a vehicle belonging to Glen Eddleman of the 2800 block of Maryville Road, which was parked at T.J.'s Tavern, 1539 Madison Ave.

Granite City police learned from a Terminal Railroad special agent that Brown was walking north on Madison Avenue after he'd noticed the same man allegedly trying to enter parked vehicles near a restaurant and tavern.

Brown was carrying a brown leather case containing 27 cassette tapes and a pair of leather gloves when he was taken into custody in the Granite City Steel parking area at 16th Street and Madison Avenue. The case allegedly was removed from the Eddleman auto.

The Venice man initially was charged with criminal trespass to land in a complaint filed by a Granite City Steel security supervisor.

Following his arrest, Brown was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for examination and later transferred to another hospital for evaluation.

The burglary charge was issued upon completion of the evaluation, it was learned.

Services today for August Sedlack, 75

Funeral services were conducted at St. Henry's Catholic Church in Belleville, at 10 a.m. today, Feb. 7, for August Sedlack, 75, of O'Fallon, Ill., brother of the late John Sedlack of Madison.

August Sedlack died at 2 a.m. Monday, Feb. 4, 1985, at Barnes Hospital. He was born and lived in East St. Louis almost all his lifetime.

He owned and operated Sedlack Brothers Funeral Home in East St. Louis, for many years prior to his semi-retirement.

Mr. Sedlack was a member of St. Henry's Catholic Church.

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Ida Sedlack.

Survivors include another brother, Anthony Sedlack of Fairview Heights, and two sisters, Mary Sedlack of O'Fallon and Mrs. Jack (Lee) Foley of Raguna Niguel, Calif.

Burial was in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Fairview Heights. Visitation was at Baldus-Radden Funeral Home, 3416 W. Main St., Belleville.

Mrs. Lura Boulch, 79, New Douglas, succumbs

Mrs. Lura S. Boulch, 79, New Douglas, died Sunday, Feb. 3, 1985, at 4:20 p.m. at St. Francis Hospital, Litchfield. Her husband, James I. Boulch, died in 1973.

She is survived by six sons; six daughters, including Mrs. Terry (Penny) Haynes of Granite City; one brother, four sisters, 25 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 6, at a New Douglas funeral home, with burial at New Douglas Cemetery.

Graveside services for Mrs. Oma Ryan

Graveside services were conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville Township for Mrs. Oma A. (Witherspoon) Ryan, 96, of Granite City.

She died at 8:33 a.m. Monday, Feb. 4, 1985, at Colonial Haven Nursing Home.

Survivors include a daughter-in-law; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation was at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road.

Peter Knecht

Peter H. Knecht, 95, of Rural Route 3, Collinsville, a former longtime Granite City resident, died at 6:05 a.m. today, Feb. 7, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

He was born in Darmstadt, Ill. Mr. Knecht worked at Granite City Steel 48 years and retired there in 1954.

Mr. Knecht was a member of Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Collinsville. He was a veteran of World War I.

His wife, Mrs. Laura (Breden) Knecht, died in 1974.

Survivors include two sons, Harold G. Knecht of Placerville, Calif., and Paul H. Knecht of Collinsville; one daughter, Mrs. Brickey (Alice) Hutson of Granite City; one brother, Edwin Knecht of St. Louis; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation will begin at 6 p.m. Sunday at Herr Funeral Home, 501 W. Main St., Collinsville, where funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 11. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Woman manages to escape out window

About to be taken into custody on a Collinsville Police Department warrant, a woman residing with her husband and six children in a East 23rd Street apartment near Washington Avenue escaped arrest through a bathroom window at 7:35 p.m. Tuesday.

A Granite City officer found the woman at the apartment where he went to serve the warrant, which alleged failure to appear in court on a charge of unlawful use of a credit card.

The 26-year-old woman's husband, their six children and another couple were in the flat, reports said.

Advised about the charge, the woman asked if she could use the bathroom prior to leaving the apartment and she was given permission to do so.

A few moments later, the husband yelled for his wife to hurry up and, at that point, it was discovered that she had crawled through a window and escaped. A search of the immediate area failed to turn up the woman.

It was learned later that the same woman also is being sought by the Clinton County Sheriff's Department, which reportedly holds a contempt warrant for her arrest.

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT FAIR THIS WEEKEND

Junior Achievement of Mississippi Valley, Inc., will be sponsoring a trade fair from 9:30 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 9, and from noon until 6 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 10, at St. Clair Square.

A large variety of products will be avilable for sale, including barbeque pits, household products, picture frames, candles, bird feeders, jumper cables, and lamps. Each of the more than 40 companies at the fair is sponsored by an area business which provides guidance in marketing and manufacturing of the product. The purpose of Junior Achievement is to provide an opportunity for students to experience the free enterprise system and the operations of a corporation or business from start to finish.

The Junior Achievement Trade Fair is open to the public. St. Clair Square is located at the intersection of Interstate 64 and Route 159 in Fairview Heights.

VACANT HOUSE CATCHES FIRE

A vacant house located at 521 Washington Ave, Venice, sustained about $1,000 damage at 5:15 a.m. today after it caught on fire.

Valuation and superintendent topics tonight

The Granite City Board of Education will conduct a special meeting at 7 tonight, conferring initially with William Townsley, a Chicago area appraiser.

Townsley was hired by Granite City and Nameoki Township area governmental bodies to appraise Granite City Steel property.

THE COMPANY has sought to eliminate much of its assessed valuation, and a state appeal hearing is pending.

At about 7:30 tonight, the board expects to meet with a three-member search committee it appointed to recommend finalists for the position of superintendent of schools in District Nine. Frank L. Kraus is retiring as superintendent June 30 and a new superintendent is to report by July 1.

A letter from Curtis Wofford is being referred to the district's Citizens Advisory Council and to the board's Policy Committee, consisting of David Partney, Mrs. Ruth Lahr and Dewey Melton.

THE POLICY PANEL also is expected to meet next week on seniority proposals, and possibly on student field trips.

Wofford objects to an existing policy that exempts from final examinations some students who attain high grades or attendance. He described such exams as "the only true way of finding out if our students are learning and-or our teachers are teaching."

He said, "Many students force themselves to attend classes who would normally have stayed home sick, . . . (bringing) to school many germs that are spread to other students.

"**ABOVE-AVERAGE** students have developed study habits which will hurt them later, in college, when they are required to take a comprehensive final exam," Wofford commented.

Board members and administrators plan to attend the spring dinner meeting of the Southwestern Division of the Illinois Association of School Boards March 4 at Edwardsville High School and a Madison County administrators' and school board members' dinner March 13 at the Edwardsville Holiday Inn. Speaker at the latter event will be Dr. Donald Gill, retiring Illinois education superintendent.

The IASB meeting will feature this region's state legislators, discussing General Assembly bills on school reform and finances.

FIELD TRIPS were discussed by the board Tuesday night, when it was noted that the policy limits class groups to one trip a year and bars parents from transporting those going on the trips.

Due to insurance considerations, the district attempts to arrange for a bus or van for each class outings, Supt. Kraus said.

All field trips require advance clearance with the superintendent, including instances when a teacher takes a small number of children in his or her auto. If the journey is out of the state, a special insurance policy is obtained.

3 abducted, robbed, released, police told

Police are investigating a report that Jerry Podraza, a former Granite Cityan now living in St. Louis, was kidnapped from a business building on Madison Avenue Wednesday afternoon.

He and "two friends" were abducted at gunpoint, the trio later being robbed and then released unharmed in Florissant, Mo., Granite City authorities were told at 8:50 p.m. Wednesday by a Granite City woman.

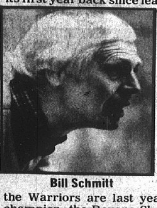
Only limited details have been obtained so far and investigators are continuing their efforts today.

Wrestling Regional

Schmitt: 'It's gonna be a doggone tough one'

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor of the Press-Record

COLLINSVILLE — Fresh from clinching the Southwestern Conference wrestling championship in its first year back since leaving the conference 10 years ago, the Granite City High School wrestling team will be put to another test this weekend as it begins post-season competition.



Bill Schmitt

Coach Bill Schmitt and his wrestling Warriors will return to Vergil Fletcher Gymnasium this Friday — the same place where they won the SWC title a week ago — to take on eight other schools in regional competition.

Among the teams in the Collinsville Regional with the Warriors are last year's Edwardsville Regional champion, the Roxana Shells. The Shells, coached by Larry Milazzo, have been the proverbial thorn in the side of the Warriors the last two seasons.

A seeding meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. today at Collinsville High to determine the tournament's top seed.

Schmitt, who is only the sixth wrestling coach the Warriors have ever had and who has hinted of retiring after this season, will be attempting to win his 25th regional title as the Warriors begin the tournament.

"IT'S A pretty doggone tough regional. I wish we were assigned to the Cahokia Regional, it won't be nearly as tough," Schmitt said. "It's going to take a superb effort by everyone just to make it through the regional."

The reason the Collinsville Regional will be "so tough," is because not only of Roxana but Civic Memorial as well. Both are known and recognized wrestling powerhouses.

But the remaining teams are no slouches either, Schmitt said. Particularly Edwardsville and Jerseyville.

"You can talk about Roxana and Bethalto (CM) all you want, but Edwardsville and Jerseyville have respected programs as well. It's gonna be rugged. I'm not going to make any predictions," Schmitt said. "It'll be tough to get anyone through."

No one advance!?

That's something that Schmitt's never experienced in his 38 years as coach of the Warriors.

"It's a possibility. It could be the first year that we don't send anyone to state. That's just how tough the competition is," Schmitt said.

Schmitt's attitude is not one of pessimism, but rather one of objectivity and one that speaks of years of experience. He sincerely believes the competition is that tough this year.

IN ADDITION to those teams already mentioned, also competing in the Collinsville Regional are Highland, Triad, Wood River and, of course, host Collinsville.

First, second and third-place individual finishers in the regional, along with the winning team, will advance to the Granite City High School Sectional Tournament next weekend, Feb. 15 and 16.

In addition to those athletes from the Collinsville Regional qualifying for the GCHS Sectional, three other regional sites will be sending athletes to the local sectional — Cahokia, Springfield Lanphier and Murphysboro.

The Cahokia Regional, which consists of the Belleville public and private schools, both East St. Louis public schools, O'Fallon, Mascoutah and, of course, Cahokia is perhaps the weakest regional which feeds the Granite City High School Sectional. The Warriors have gone undefeated against those teams in dual meets this season. That's the reason for Schmitt's wishful thinking.

A regional victory for the Warriors is not out of the question, but, as Schmitt put it, "we'd have to wrestle above our ability."

THAT POSSIBILITY is not above consideration, Schmitt said, as he's seen stranger things happen in his many years of coaching.

"I've seen kids who had .500 records through the season catch fire about regional time and go on to qualify for the state tournament," Schmitt said. "That's not an impossibility. If we're going to win we're gonna need that from each kid."

Slated to represent the Warriors when the regional mats are unrolled Friday are Jeff Cotter, a 98-pound senior. Cotter was a state qualifier last year and this season has posted a 32-1 record, his only loss coming to Carbondale's Eric Walker during the Holiday Wrestling Tournament.

Representing the Warriors at 105 pounds int he regional will be either Richey Wilson or Scott Moss. Wilson, a sophomore, is 13-6 this season but has recently had problems making weight. Should Wilson not make weight, Moss, a freshman whose record is 0-6, will wrestle in his stead.

Gary Mann, the Southwestern Conference's champion at 105 pounds, will be the Warriors' representative at 112 pounds. Mann, a junior is 11-8 this season.

MOVING UP the weight scale, Vince Slecka, a senior who missed much of the season recovering from shoulder surgery, is 6-2 this season. Slecka will wrestle at 126 pounds.

At 132 pounds, Mike Lewis is expected to make his return to the Warrior lineup. Lewis, a senior, injured his back about a month ago. He is 15-4-2 this season.

At 138 pounds is Tom Sparks, the Warriors' only other returning state qualifier from last year's squad. Sparks, a junior boasts a 26-7 record, is also a SWC champion.

Mark Whitaker, the son of GCHS assistant coach Walt Whitaker, is the Warriors' entry at 145 pounds. A senior, Whitaker is 10-5-2 this season.

At 155 pounds, Mike Fenoglio, will be the Warriors' representative. Fenoglio, a junior, is 21-7 this season. He is also a reigning Southwestern Conference champion.

Steve Knogl, the Warriors' 167 pounder, is 11-2 this season. Knogl, who missed the early part of the season with a dislocated elbow, is expected to be back in top form Friday for the regional. Last Saturday, Knogl was last of five Warriors to earn SWC championships.

Tracy McElroy, a junior, will be the Warriors' 185 pounder when the regional swings around this weekend. McElroy is 15-5 this season.

REPRESENTING the Warriors in the unlimited division is Chris Greer. Greer, a junior, is 10-15-1 this season.

"You can see by looking at the records that we really don't have any superb wrestlers, except maybe for one," Schmitt said referring to Cotter. "We've got some excellent team balance which is great for dual meets, but to win tournaments you've got to have several very good wrestlers."

In dual meets this season the Warriors are 23-3. They've finished fifth in their own Holiday Tournament and third in the Hazelwood Quadrangular. Granite City has won two quadrangular meets this season, the biggest coming against perhaps the oddest opponent, Northwest High, (House Springs, Mo.) the reigning Missouri state champion.

"We were nearly perfect then," Schmitt said. "We gave 110 percent against them. That's the kind of effort we'll need this weekend. Anything less may not be enough," Schmitt said.

The regional will be divided into three sessions spanning the two-day period. Preliminary and first-round action will be Friday at 6 p.m.

Continuing on Saturday at 11 a.m. will be the second and semi-final rounds followed by the championship rounds which begin at 5 p.m.

Admission for adults is $2.50 and $1.50 for students.

PRESS-RECORD Thursday SPORTS

In Affton Saturday

Warriors downed by Spartans; begin playoffs

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — After taking their best against the best the Mid-States Club Hockey Association has to offer in the DeSmet Spartans, the Granite City High skaters see a bright playoff path ahead.

A path that begins against Mehlville Saturday night in a 7:45 p.m. contest at the Affton Ice Rink.

The Spartans lived up to their top-touted Mid-States billing and 21-1 record, chalking up five goals (three short-handed and two with the man advantage) against the Warriors' power play and penalty kill units in sweeping to victory Monday night at the Wilson Park Ice Rink. The score was 7-3.

THE LOSS that dropped the Warriors to 19-3 marked their final regular season match in what has been their most successful season ever.

If DeSmet represents one of the best Mid-State Association teams, the Warriors demonstrated many things. To wit:

—They showed they can not only score first but quickly — tallying a goal 17 seconds into the match to jump ahead, 1-0.

—They showed that even quality teams need something else besides skill to get by — namely Lady Luck.

The Warriors did everything but throw Bernie Federko's stick at DeSmet goalkeeper Jeff Oakley in the second period, yet saw themselves outscored 2-1 despite outshooting the Spartans 10-3.

—The Warriors showed they can strike up "clinkers." That's the sound you hear when a puck strikes the iron pipes holding up the net. Chris Carden hit a clinker and so did Dave Yurkovich.

—The Warriors showed they can manufacture a breakaway — and showed that streaking in alone on an opposing goalkeeper doesn't always result in a goal.

With the Warriors trailing 2-1, Mark Doniff swooped in on Oakley who, in turn, kick skated aside the subsequent shot.

—The Warriors showed they can battle back from sizeable odds. They trailed 4-1 after the highly acclaimed Kurt Gonce scored the second of his back-to-back goals midway through the second period, and no sooner did skeptics wonder aloud about quality of the Warriors character it burst through. The Warriors scored the next two goals to close to within 4-3.

—The Warriors also showed that, no matter who the opponent, it pays to think just as much as it does to skate.

Trailing by that one goal margin, the Warriors assumed the man advantage after DeSmet was called for a penalty. More than eight minutes remained.

Twenty-five seconds later, the Warriors picked up a penalty.

The two sides even, Gonce scored his third goal — the "comeback buster" — only seconds later.

The Warriors could have an opportunity to avenge the defeat, witnessed by one of the largest crowds ever to see the Warriors play at home.

SPARTAN coach Ron Gulley looked ahead, all the way to the title contest of the Mid-States championship.

"That's the only time we'll meet them again," he said.

Don't bet against it not happening.

Shoulders slumped forward and head bowed, Warrior coach Garry Henson reviewed the events that led to the Warriors defeat Monday, and surfaced with high praise and lofty hopes.

"I have to hand it to our kids," Henson said. "If we play like this (in the playoffs) like we did against DeSmet, we'll make it to the Arena."

THE ARENA is where the Mid-States finals will be played.

"It all boils down to special team mistakes," Henson said. "That's why lost it. We outshot them (23-19).

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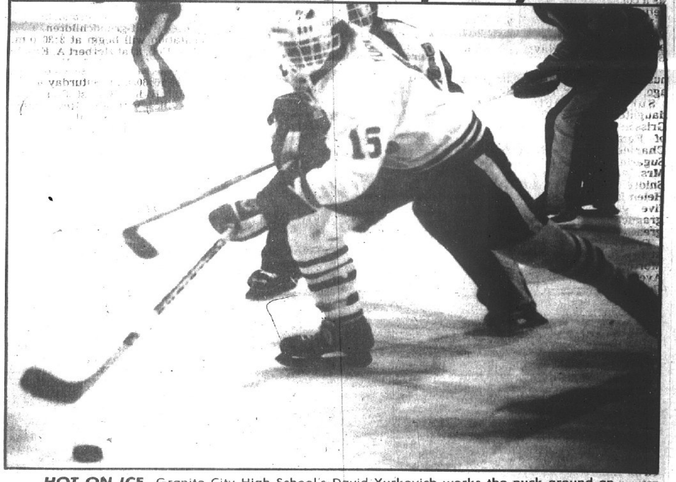

HOT ON ICE. Granite City High School's David Yurkovich works the puck around an unidentified DeSmet Spartan during Monday night's Mid-States Hockey Association hockey game at the Granite City Ice Rink. The Warriors despite a comeback effort in the second and third periods fell short of the Spartans, losing 7-3. Granite City begins post-season play Saturday night in Affton.

(Press-Record Photo by Alan L. Gerstenecker)

But Warriors 'Cantless'

Double victory can clinch a tie for conference crown

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — For Granite City High School's basketball team, there is no weekend this season which is more important than the one at hand.

With conference games on both Friday and Saturday, the Warriors could clinch at least a tie for the Southwestern Conference title if they win both nights.

On Friday, the Warriors travel to Belleville to take on Southwestern Conference rival Belleville East. The Lancers, led by 7-foot 250-pound Gary Leonard, are a formidable foe whose record in recent weeks, as a result of three straight losses, has dipped to 7-9. Despite their recent misfortune, the Lancers are still a respectable 3-3 in the SWC.

SATURDAY night, the Warriors return to the familiarity of Memorial Gymnasium as they host near-rival Collinsville in another SWC matchup. The Kahoks are in second place in the conference with a 4-2 league slate.

Should the Warriors gain a split in weekend action the conference race, obviously, would tighten up. Worse yet, should the Warriors fall to the wayside and drop both games they would be tied with Collinsville for first place in the league.

"No question about it, this is a big, big weekend for us," Deterding said Wednesday during practice. "The best part about it is that we're in control of our own destiny. If we win Friday and Saturday we win the conference because we wanted it and not because we depended on someone to beat someone else.

"We win it because we wanted it," Deterding said.

WITH AN undefeated conference slate, the Warriors are clear favorites in both contests. And should Granite City win both games and clinch the tie for the SWC title, it'll be the first time the Warriors have done so since 1972, the year they shared the title with Belleville West.

Three years after that, the Warriors left the conference not to return until this season. Before that it's hard to tell how long it's been since the Warriors won the SWC. Thirty years probably. Not since the Warriors won the state title in 1948.

BUT before the champagne is uncorked and the crepe paper strewn, there's a twist. A little thing thrown in just to make things more interesting.

This twist is called an ankle injury.

An ankle injury to 6-foot 5-inch senior forward Scott Cant.

Cant, the one who has added another dimension to the Warrior game. Cant, the same guy who slammed down that dunker against Alton that got the Warriors rolling to a 14-point scoring spree that boosted the Warriors to victory.

YES! That Scott Cant.

"It's his right ankle," Deterding said. "I'm not going to say that we're not going to miss him because that's not so, but we've got four guys who we think can help us in ways that Scott would."

THOSE four are 6-foot 4-inch senior Jerry Paul, 6-foot 1-inch senior Rich Schierling, 5-foot 7-inch sophomore Tim Hogan and 6-foot 2-inch sophomore Tom Taylor.

Paul, Deterding said, will start the game in place of Cant.

"Actually Paul is as good defensively as Scott is... His rebounding is close, but his offensive game isn't. But he's a worker. We'll make do," Deterding said.

The Warrior coach said he expects to shuffle Schierling, Hogan and Taylor in for Paul as the situations arise.

Friday's jayvee contest begins at 6:30 p.m. The varsity game will begin at 8 p.m. Saturday's games, at home will begin 15 minutes earlier.

Booster Club benefit this Saturday

So, you're looking for a little something to do this weekend. Something a little "extra," or different. Perhaps something that you can take your spouse or date to. Something fun and for a good cause.

Well folks, here it is.

Saturday night, Granite City High School's basketball team, the team that's leading the Southwestern Conference with a 5-0 record and 13-5 overall, is hosting conference nemesis Collinsville.

BASKETBALL? Yes, basketball. It promises to be a fine ball game.

What? You'd like to go, but you can't sell your spouse on a night of basketball. Well, here's the second pitch and one that I've had to use on more than one occasion.

Following the game, take her (or him for that matter) to the Granite City High School Booster Club's Chicken Dance at the New Knights of Columbus Hall at 4225 Old Alton Road, formerly Johnson School.

This way you get to go to the ball game and she gets a social night out.

AND TO fuel your argument for the night out, remind them that it's for a good cause, the Warrior sports programs. Pretty good idea, huh.

Tickets for the ball game are available at the gym door. Tickets for the fund-raising dance are $5 per person and are available from Booster Club members or at the hall door.

Music for the dance, which begins about 9 p.m. — just shortly before the game ends — will be performed by Art Levelle & The Starlighters.

The dance is scheduled to last until 1 a.m. Sunday. Set-ups are available.

SportSchedule

Thursday, Feb. 7

BASKETBALL: GCHS (G) at Alton	6:30 p.m.
Madison (G) in St. Paul Tourney	
GCC vs. Florissant Valley, here	7:30 p.m.
WRESTLING: GCC at SIUE "B"	7 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 8

BASKETBALL: GCHS at Belleville East	6:30 p.m.
Madison at Gibault	6:15 p.m.
Venice vs. Bunker Hill, here	6:15 p.m.
Madison (G) in St. Paul Tourney	
WRESTLING: GCHS in C'ville Regional	6 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 9

BASKETBALL: GCHS vs. Collinsville, here	6:15 p.m.
Madison vs. Hillsboro, here	6:15 p.m.
Madison (G) in St. Paul Tourney	
GCC at SIU-Edwardsville	5 p.m.
SIUE vs. Wright State, here	7:30 p.m.
WRESTLING: GCHS in C'ville Regional	11 a.m.
GCHS in C'ville Regional	6 p.m.
GCC vs. McKendree, here	7 p.m.

From Paris To Madison

The Watsons: The Trojans' long distance fans

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record

MADISON — When the term parental love was coined, the phrase maker must have had Dale and Phyllis Watson in mind.

Well, the parents of Madison High basketball coach Rodney Watson also love sports — especially Trojan basketball.

Combine the two and you get some idea why Dale and Phyllis were among the sparse crowd in attendance at Madison's game Tuesday night — just like they have been in the stands for all but one of the of Trojans' 19 games to date.

The contest they missed was the Trojans' game against McKinley in St. Louis. St. Louis, in Dale's opinion, is "about halfway around the world."

BUT THEY were there Tuesday in Madison, promptly on time for the 6:30 p.m. start of the junior varsity game.

Fine and dandy, you say. They love their son and they enjoy watching him coach basketball. Except there's more to it.

When the contest ended, and after father and son exchanged a handshake, Dale and Phyllis headed out the door. The clock showed approximately 10:10 p.m.

If the roads were clear and the traffic light, they might have made it home about 1 a.m.

Dale and Phyllis live in Paris, Ill., which is about 150 miles from Madison. Paris is located about 25 miles northwest of Terre Haute, Ind., and 25 miles east Charleston. It lies approximately 10 miles south of the Indiana border line.

THE TWO don't stop in Paris. They live about 12 miles further beyond the community of about 10,000. That means their trip home was 162 miles long — 324 miles round trip. That's approximately six hours of drive time in their 1982 LTD, and a "good" $20 in gasoline costs.

Now, another picture might emerge of the two.

"I guess you might say I'm a little bit nuts," says a smiling Dale, who is 56 and makes his living as a farmer.

But that's quite alright.

"There's a difference between a treat and a treatment," he says. "When you find yourself asking, 'What in the world am I doing here?' That's a treatment.

"This," he said, gazing down at the basketball floor, "is a treat."

The most delicious kind.

"This is a once-in-a-lifetime thing as far as I'm concerned," Dale says. "I love it."

THIS IS Rodney's first year at Madison. He had previously coached two years at Coulterville which, according to the map, is about 165 miles from Paris.

You guessed it.

"Oh, we might have missed a few games," said Dale with a chuckle.

Phyllis, 54, an attractive brunette, said she and her husband haven't added up the mileage they've accumulated in watching their son coach, for the same reason they don't count the money they spend on Christmas gifts.

"It would take the fun out of it," she says. Phyllis, by the way, was to be at work at 8 a.m. Wednesday morning in her job as a bookkeeper. It's alright if she was a little late, though. She's been with the firm 25 years.

DALE AND Phyllis allow themselves one break in their basketball watching travels. They'll spend a Friday night with Rodney should the Trojans also play the following night.

As it is, the two have traveled approximately 4,600 miles this season to see their son coach, according to Press-Record estimates.

Dale, who was born and raised in Paris, and Phyllis, who lived in Harrisburg, Ill. and Pontiac, Mich. before moving to Paris her junior year in high school, have two other children: Janet, 30, a special education teacher and Roger, 27, a computer operator in Atlanta, Ga.

THEY MET at a youth center in Paris. Dale, who at 6-2 towers over his son, was a key player his senior year in high school for the Paris basketball team in 1946. The following year, Paris won the second of its two state titles.

Besides Trojan basketball, Dale is a big fan of Chicago's Cubs, Bears and Indiana's Bobby Knight.

Dale thinks so highly of Knight, he ranks him with his son.

"Rodney and Bobby Knight are the only two coaches I don't help," says Dale with a smile. "Everyone else I help."

DALE AND Phyllis say the folks in Paris are proud of Rodney, who co-captained Paris High's basketball team his senior year and still holds the school's single season assist record of 138.

In fact, Rodney's team defeated Nashville at the Salem Tournament that season. Nashville went on to win the state title.

Ironically, that was Rodney's only high school game Dale missed attending.

Though folks in Paris are interested in Rodney's success, they approach the subject cautiously. Asking how Rodney is doing means sharing the silent end of a long one-way conversation.

"Like any dad, you give him 20 minutes to talk about his kid, and he'll take it all," says Dale with a big smile.

Dale gives his son high marks coaching, not just because of the Trojans success in the won-loss column.

"He's very concerned about those kids off the court," Dale says.

DALE is thrilled with the natural ability of the Madison players, especially Banks, who he rates as one of the best rebounders he's seen.

Dale and Phyllis sometimes chat with the players, giving them encouragement. But they don't get overly involved.

Nevertheless, the boundary was broken somewhat a while back when Dale and Phyllis brought their 19-month-old grandon, Adam Rosenberg, to one of the games.

"Deloyd Williams just took him on a tour of the whole gymnasium," says Dale.

DALE AND Phyllis not only have been a familiar but a welcomed sight at Trojan games. You might say their presence has been a real treat.

"They're just lovely people, fabulous people," Madison principal Dan Kostencki says.

Ditto, from Rodney. "I've got the greatest parents in the whole world," he says. "They're just super. Talk about being a pick me up."

The Trojans' next game is Friday against rival Gibault. Look for Dale and Phyllis.

"They'll be here," says Rodney with a smile. "I guarantee it."

LOYAL FANS. Dale and Phyllis Watson, parents of Madison High School basketball coach Rodney Watson, have gone to great distances to become Trojan basketball fans. Living in Paris, the couple travel more than 300 miles for each home game. They come to see their son coach and the Trojans play. Of the Trojans' 19 contests thus far this season the Watsons have missed just one game.

Madison Wins

Trojans take Roosevelt cagers 'rough riding'

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

MADISON — Looking more like a team resembling the Trojan teams which preceded it, the Madison High School basketball squad took the Roosevelt Rough Riders for rough ride on a wilely Trojan horse Tuesday night as they easily disposed of their St. Louis visitors 84-78.

"We're beginning to gel," explained first-year Trojan Coach Rodney Watson after his team won their 13th game in 19 attempts this season.

"I think it's a matter of realization. A matter of them realizing what I expect from them and me becoming more acquainted with them," Watson said. "It's a two-way street."

THAT two-way street looked more like a one-way boulevard against Roosevelt. The Trojans, led once again by 6-foot 4-inch senior center Reggie Banks, had three athletes in double figures. Banks rallied the partisan crowd with two slam dunks as he amassed 25 points on the evening and 6-foot 2-inch senior James Bennett pumped in another 20. Bennett also pulled down 14 rebounds.

Anthony Valentine, the Trojans' 5-foot 10-inch junior guard added 15 points for the Madison cause while simultaneously picking up five assists.

Valentine also proved lethal at the free-throw line, hitting seven of eight attempts from the stripe in the first half. Realizing his talent from the stripe, Valentine was not fouled the second half.

THE TROJANS jumped to a 26-17 first quarter lead and maintained a 43-38 lead by halftime. When the third quarter began, the already rapid-paced game quickened as the Trojans turned on the afterburners to outscore Roosevelt 22-17 to take a 65-56 lead.

"I'm really happy with the way we played," Watons said. "Boog, Boogaloo (6-foot senior DeLoyd Williams) really did the job for us handling the ball. He's playing a little more heads up.

"I was a little concerned with the lack of our defense at times, but when the pace quickens as it did tonight, that's going to happen," Watson said. "I'm happy, but I'm a long way from satisfied."

FOR THE Rough Riders, now 7-9 on the season, Derrick Dilworth came off the bench to lead the Roosevelt scorers with 21. Doug Mason pumped in 16 points and Clarence Guthrie added 13.

The difference in the ball game were fouls and the impending free-throws. The Trojans, fouled a whopping 27 times, sank 24 of 33. The Rough Riders, who were fouled just 17 times, sank 14 of 26 attempts.

The Trojans ready themselves for Waterloo-Gibault on Friday and Hillsboro on Saturday. Friday's game is in Waterloo while the Hiltoppers visit Madison High on Saturday. Both games start at 6:15 p.m.

SCORING

R'VELT	22	16	18	22—78
MADISON	26	17	22	19—84

ROOSEVELT (78): Dillworth 9 3-5 21, Mason 6 4-6 16, Guthrie 6 1-3 13, Collins 5 0-1 10, Haywood 1 3-3 5, Love 3 2-2 8, Addison 1 0 2, Patterson 1 0 2, Clark 0 1-2 1. FG 32, FT 14, PF 27.

MADISON (84): Banks 9 7-9 25, Bennett 8 4-7 20, Valentine 4 7-8 15, Williams 3 2-2 8, Jacks 4 0 8, Newson 2 2-5 6, R. Young 0 1-2 1. FG 30, FT 24, PF 17.

JuCo Wrestling

Stars lost to rated Lincoln

By ELDON WARFIELD
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — Granite City Center's wrestling squad made a strong showing Tuesday evening despite a deceiving 33-11 loss at the hands of Lincoln Community College's Lynx. The Lynx are rated fourth in the nation among the National Junior College Athletic Association schools.

The loss dropped the Stars dual record to 3-5 on the season but there were several bright spots for GCC.

Due to a few injuries the Stars only have six active wrestlers in 10 weight classes. Neither squad posted a wrestler in the 118 pound class, so the match started with the 126 pounders.

WEST Frankfort's Chuck Gardner was one of GCC's bright spots. Gardner handled Lincoln's Joe Armines quite easily. Applying early pressure, Gardner scored a takedown and then a near pin to take a 4-1 first period lead. Armines escaped in the second frame to trail 4-2, but it was Gardner's reversal and takedown that enabled him to take a 8-3 decision.

"Chuck has won 11 matches against only two defeats this year, and he wants to drop down a weight to 118 for the regionals," says Whitaker. "But we'll have to wait and see. That might be too much weight to lose."

DARRIN Lindsey struggled in the 142-pound match losing the decision 7-0 to James Agee.

Scott Neal of Lincoln continued the "Lynx jynx" over the Stars as he pinned Ken Patterson at 2:50 of the 150-pound class.

The 158-pound match saw Jesse Teuerbaugh of Lincoln down Henry Brown 10-2.

GCC matmen were on a skid dropping their next three matches, until Mark Dowdy tied Lincoln's Henry Teuerbaugh. Dowdy fell behind when he was taken down in the first period but tied the bout with a reversal. The bout see-sawed until Dowdy jumped ahead 6-5 with a reversal late in the third period, but he could't hold on as his opponent escaped for a 6-6 tie.

THEN CAME the Stars' brightest moment as heavyweight Brian Miller disposed of Lincoln's Bob Turley in 24 seconds.

Pro wrestling card in Venice

Due to an odd outcome of their recent scheduled matchup in Venice, which eventually led to Bob Sweetan's disqualification, another pro wrestling card between Sweetan and Spike Huber has been slated on Saturday, March 2, at Venice High School.

The event will begin at 8 p.m.

Once again sponsored by the Venice Lions' Club, the event is expected to attract numerous wrestling fans for this Illinois championship bout.

The newly scheduled bout will be a no "disqualification match."

In addition to the main attraction of Sweetan and Huber, scheduled to appear will be the man who made the coco butt famous, Bo Bo Brazil, the popular midget wrestlers and a tag-team match.

In all six matches are slated.

Tickets are $7 ringside and general admission are $5 for adults and $3 for children and are available at the Venice High School, Blake's Lounge, Design Unlimited and State Street Pawn Shop.

Park sponsors fast-pitch softball clinic

The Granite City Park District, in cooperation with a handful of fast-pitch softball enthusiasts, has scheduled a fast-pitch softball pitching clinic for Saturday, March 16, at the Harold Brown Recreation Center, Franklin and Amos Avenues.

According to Dave Nolan, director of parks and recreation, the park is sponsoring the clinic for two reasons. The first being to improve participation while generating new interest in the park's summer fast-pitch league, and the second to aid the high school softball program. Currently, GCHS athletics sponsors a girls' team in the spring.

The clinic, which is free, will begin at 10 a.m. and will tentatively last for four hours, Nolan said.

The clinic is open for persons 17 years and older.

Persons may register for the clinic now at the Wilson Park Office during business hours or by calling 877-3059.

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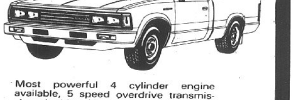
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Prep Basketball Statistics

SWC Statistics

SCORING DIFFERENCE

Team	Record	Dif.
East St. Louis	(9-8)	9.71
Granite City	(13-5)	9.50
Alton	(13-6)	8.74
Collinsville	(10-9)	7.63
Belleville East	(7-9)	0.38
Belleville West	(7-10)	0.00

TEAM LEADERS OFFENSE

Team	Record	Avg.
Alton	(13-6)	73.78
East St. Louis	(9-8)	70.94
Collinsville	(10-9)	62.94
Granite City	(13-5)	60.61
Belleville East	(7-9)	54.56
Belleville West	(7-10)	50.64

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	Record	Avg.
Granite City	(13-5)	51.11
Belleville West	(7-10)	53.64
Belleville East	(7-9)	54.18
Collinsville	(10-9)	55.31
East St. Louis	(9-8)	61.23
Alton	(13-6)	65.05

Scoring Leaders

Name, School	Pts.	Avg.
Gary Leonard, Belleville East	369	23.06
Larry Smith, Alton	420	22.11
Sylvester Harold, East St. Louis	367	21.59
Jeff Gray, Granite City	377	20.94
Jeff Herd, Alton	290	15.26
John Barberis, Collinsville	276	14.53
Kevin Prindable, Belleville West	228	13.41
LaRoy Liner, Collinsville	224	13.18
Bobby Collins, Alton	246	12.95
Jeff LeCuyer, Collinsville	236	12.42
Tony Ellis, Collinsville	232	12.21
Scott Cant, Granite City	219	12.17
Joe Davis, East St. Louis	178	10.47
Jeff Walls, Belleville West	170	10.00
James Harris, East St. Louis	118	9.08
Dale Brice, Alton	142	7.47
Don Stevanus, Granite City	127	7.47
Kurt Hylla, Granite City	134	7.44
Todd Volkman, Belleville East	110	7.33
Marc Patterson, Alton	123	7.24
Antonio King, East St. Louis	57	7.13
Jeff Smith, Collinsville	118	6.94
Anthony Buckner, East St. Louis	75	6.82
Todd Sherman, Alton	121	6.72
Mark Lanxon, Belleville West	111	6.53
Joe Gray, Granite City	109	6.06
Tim Meehling, Belleville East	76	5.85
Keith Burns, Collinsville	102	5.37
Doug Sperry, Belleville West	91	5.35
Curt Marchand, Belleville West	87	5.12
Clayton Coe, Belleville East	81	5.06
Mike Weatherford, Belleville East	80	5.00

Metro-East Statistics

SCORING DIFFERENCE

Team	Record	Dif.
Cahokia	(16-3)	17.53
Lincoln	(14-4)	13.22
Triad	(11-8)	11.11
Venice	(18-3)	10.57
O'Fallon	(15-3)	10.44
East St. Louis	(9-8)	9.71
Granite City	(13-5)	9.50
Alton	(13-6)	8.74
Collinsville	(10-9)	7.63
Madison	(12-6)	4.89
Lovejoy	(9-12)	0.62
Belleville East	(7-9)	0.38
Edwardsville	(10-8)	0.00
Mascoutah	(9-7)	0.00
Highland	(7-10)	0.00
Belleville West	(7-10)	0.00
Roxana	(7-8)	0.00
Jerseyville	(5-10)	0.00
Wood River	(5-9)	0.00
Althoff	(3-15)	0.00
Bethalto	(3-14)	0.00

TEAM LEADERS OFFENSE

Team	Record	Avg.
Alton	(13-6)	73.78
Venice	(18-3)	72.57
East St. Louis	(9-8)	70.94
Lincoln	(14-4)	70.33
Cahokia	(16-3)	69.94
Lovejoy	(9-12)	67.80
Madison	(12-6)	66.22
Triad	(11-8)	64.47
Collinsville	(10-9)	62.94
Jerseyville	(5-10)	61.26
Granite City	(13-5)	60.61
O'Fallon	(15-3)	60.16
Highland	(7-10)	57.58
Roxana	(7-8)	56.60
Edwardsville	(10-8)	56.44
Althoff	(3-15)	54.83
Belleville East	(7-9)	54.56
Wood River	(5-9)	53.85
Bethalto	(3-14)	53.64
Belleville West	(7-10)	50.64
Mascoutah	(9-7)	45.56

TEAM DEFENSE

Team	Record	Avg.
Mascoutah	(9-7)	47.81
O'Fallon	(15-3)	49.72
Granite City	(13-5)	51.11
Cahokia	(16-3)	52.42
Triad	(11-8)	53.36
Belleville West	(7-10)	53.64
Belleville East	(7-9)	54.18
Wood River	(5-9)	55.28
Collinsville	(10-9)	55.31
Edwardsville	(10-8)	56.61
Lincoln	(14-4)	57.11
Highland	(7-10)	59.52
Bethalto	(3-14)	59.70
East St. Louis	(9-8)	61.23
Jerseyville	(5-10)	61.26
Madison	(12-6)	61.33
Roxana	(7-8)	61.46
Venice	(18-3)	62.00
Alton	(13-6)	65.05
Althoff	(3-15)	65.61
Lovejoy	(9-12)	67.19

Soccer for Fun

TEAM STANDINGS
February 4th

10 and Under Boys'

Team	W	L	T
McCormick Travel	4	0	0
Elks	3	1	0
Sting	2	2	0
Bandidos	1	2	1
Hutton Ford	1	2	1
Dairy Queen	0	4	0

Co-Ed Blue

Willis Flowers	3	0	1
Amvets Post 51	3	0	0
Horizon's	1	0	2
Magic	1	1	1
Blacksheep	0	2	2
Networkers	0	3	1
Smooth Gooser	0	2	1

14 and Under Boy's

John Lawrence Sports	4	0	0
Bandits	4	0	0
Jamestown Stars	3	1	0
G.C. Sheet Metal	2	1	0
Bethalto S.C.	1	2	1
Streetkickers	1	2	1
Edw. Bank	1	1	1
Alton	1	2	0
Pride Express	0	3	1
Kendall Hill	0	2	1
Wendy's	0	3	1

11 and Under Boy's

Flames	3	0	0
RKO Bobcats	3	0	0
Elks	2	2	0
Kicks	2	1	0
MAC	1	1	1
L.A. Rebels	0	3	1
Lakers S.C.	0	4	0

12 and Under Boy's Blue

Hustlers	4	0	1
Gold Strikers	4	0	0
Stingrays	3	1	1
Raiders	2	2	0
Bethalto	2	3	0
Boushard Bulldogs	2	2	0
Car-X Challengers	0	4	0
Little Caesar's	0	5	0

19 and Under Boy's

Camelot Knights	5	0	0
G.C. Arrows	4	1	0
G.C. Victors	4	1	0
Smoke	2	2	1
Metro East	2	2	1
Alton Optimist	2	2	0
Comfort Heating	2	2	0
Hawks	1	2	1
Coll. United	1	3	1
Roxana	0	4	0
Tri Ford	0	4	0
Bethalto	0	4	1

35 and Older Men

Ernie's & Annie's	4	0	0
Sammy's	3	2	0
Village Inn	3	1	0
Metro	2	3	0
Rug Rats	2	2	0
Illini Federal	0	2	1

High School Girl's

Saints	3	1	0
Rascal's	3	1	0
Razor's Edge	3	1	0
Elks	3	2	0
G.C.S.C.	2	2	0
Buenger Acctg.	0	3	1
Jackie & Bills	0	4	1

17 and Older Men's Green

Sullies	5	0	0
Footloose	3	1	1
Clifton Bros.	3	2	0
Scrappers	2	2	1
Freedom Pharmacy	1	4	0
6-Pack Attack	0	5	0

YMCA Scoreboard

Men's Power - Volleyball

Donzo's	9 - 3
Unknowns	7 - 5
Useless	7 - 5
Lazers	1 - 11

Co-Ed "A" Power - Volleyball

WGARA	8 - 4
Obvious Spikers	7 - 5
Co-Unknowns	5 - 7
Polish Hall	4 - 8

Co-Ed "B" Division II Power Volleyball

The Other Place	6 - 3
Bellingers	4 - 5
T.J.'s	4 - 5
Out of Bounders	3 - 6
First Christian	1 - 8

Women's Power - Volleyball

Hot Hits	12 - 0
Michelle's Mamas	9 - 3
Power Trax	2 - 10
Sammy's	1 - 11

Co-Ed "B" Division I Power - Volleyball

YMCA	6 - 3
Jacobsmeyers	6 - 3
Netters	6 - 3
Immoral Minority	5 - 4
Sullies	4 - 5

Men's Basketball

Warriors	2 - 0
Young & Restless	1 - 0
Skate King Rollers	2 - 1
Nets	1 - 2
First Christian	1 - 2
G.C. Steel	0 - 3

Youth Basketball - 11-12 Years

Celtics	3 - 0
Ciefs	2 - 1
Marshall I.	1 - 2
Marshall II	0 - 3

Youth Basketball - 8-10 Years

Celtics	3 - 0
Lakers	3 - 0
Hawks	2 - 1
Chiefs	1 - 2
Tigers	0 - 3
76rs	0 - 3

Hockey

(Continued from Page 13)

Even up, I think we were the better team tonight."

So it's onto the playoffs. The Warriors' meeting Saturday night with Mehlville is the first of a two-game set to determine which of the two teams advances in the playoffs.

The second contest will be played Monday night at 9 p.m. Should both teams each have a victory, a sudden death period will be held after Monday's match to spell out the first round winner.

IN MEHLVILLE, the Warriors will face a team that boasts a healthy 13-7-2 record. In Mehlville, the Warriors will also play a team they triumphed against in the third game of the season, 6-1.

"I think we're the better team," Henson said, offering a preview look. "But it's all a matter of how our kids come out and play. If we play as well as we did against DeSmet..."

For fans interested in attending, the best way to reach the Affton Ice Rink is to take the Poplar St. Bridge to Highway 55 south.

From Highway 55 south, take the Reavis Barracks exit.

Take the Reavis Barracks exit to Gravois. From there, turn left on Gravois. On Gravois, Henson said, fans will find themselves driving down a huge hill. After reaching the bottom, Henson said, motorists will then come across a set of railroad tracks.

A SHORT distance beyond the railroad tracks, Henson said, is the roadway entrance to the Affton Ice Rink parking lot.

The rink is situated across from Grant's Farm, Henson said.

If the number and enthusiasm of fans attending Saturday's contest approaches the euphoric backing the Warriors were given Monday, Mehlville might find itself battling six skaters (one more than normally allotted).

The Warriors' "sixth" man made their presence felt Monday.

"The fans were super tonight," said Henson. "I loved them."

SCORING

First period — 1. GC Carden (Laub, Doniff), 13:43. 2. DE Wiley (Gonce), 5:59. 3. DE Sansone (Wiley, Board), 2:42.

Second period — 4. DE Gonce (Johnson), 8:17. 5. DE Gonce (Johnson), 7:28. 6. GC Hinterser (Wilmouth), 1:05.

Third period — 7. GC Doniff (Moore, Laub), 12:10. 8. DE Gonce (Johnson), 7:24. 9. DE Sansone (unassisted), 2:06. 10. DE Wiley (Sansone, Quist), :02.

Shots on goal: DE 19, GC 23. Saves: DE (Oakley) 20, GC (Schnefke) 12.

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Press-Record/Herald Basketball Polls

CLASS "A"

	TEAM	PTS.
1.	Mater Dei (6)	60
2.	Venice	51
3.	Gibault	40
4.	Madison	38
5.	Carlyle	36
6.	Wesclin, Okawville	27
8.	Lovejoy	20
9.	Staunton	11
10.	Lebanon	9
HM	Bunker Hill	5

"A" Coaches Poll — Rodney Watson, Madison; Clinton Harris, Venice; Ted Daniels; Ed Sievers, MELH; Ron Stern, St. Paul; and James Hlafka, Bunker Hill.

CLASS "AA"

	TEAM	PTS.
1.	Cahokia (3)	55
2.	Granite City (2)	52
3.	Lincoln (1)	50
4.	Alton	42
5.	O'Fallon	40
6.	Collinsville	28
7.	E. St. Louis	20
8.	Edwardsville	17
9.	Belleville East	14
10.	Belleville West	11

"AA" Coaches Poll — Donn Otness, BV East; Don Deterding, Granite City; Stan McAfoos, Alton; Roger Thouvenin, Mascoutah; Gene Catalpa, Collinsville; Dave Shannahan, O'Fallon; Bud Vallino, Edwardsville; and Rick Mason, Triad.

(Parenthesis indicate number of first-place votes.)

Girls' Basketball

Althoff cruises by Warriors

By JAMES BLASINGAME of the Press-Record

BELLEVILLE — The Granite City High School girls' basketball team was defeated 48-39 in an impressive showing by Belleville Althoff.

Althoff's Crusaders brought a 5-5 record into Tuesday night's contest. Coach Al Alberter's team has been plagued by inconsistency this season, but against the Warriors, Althoff displayed a patient offense, committed a minimal amount of turnovers, and controlled the offensive glass.

"We've been struggling with inconsistency this season," said Alberter. "But tonight, I thought we got pretty good shots, and we're starting to rebound. We've been rebounding so horribly, that I get impressed when we do rebound."

MANY OF Althoff's points came from offensive rebound baskets, but the Crusaders scored from both the paint and the perimeter.

"We've worked very hard in practice on our offense," Alberter said. "We're finally starting to get 15-footers. At first it didn't sink in, but now they're beginning to penetrate the gaps and go to the open spots."

Granite City never led in the game. The Warriors played with intensity, but against the Crusaders, they faced a team that had more size and better ball skills.

"WE'VE RUN into more height before, but they handle the ball real well too," said Warrior coach Gordon Galbreath. "That's why we didn't press them. They'd go right through it. These girls (the Crusaders) are good athletes."

The Warriors' biggest problem was finding their shooting touch.

"For us to stay with them (Althoff) we've got to be on. We have to hit to beat them, but our shots just weren't dropping."

"Our offense was working pretty well — we got shots in the 10-foot mark. It's a little discouraging when the screens on offense work and you don't make the shot."

DEBBIE Brandt scored six points in the first quarter for Granite City, but the Warriors trailed by eight after one period, 17-9.

The Crusaders were in control the whole way. Granite City was 21 points back in the fourth quarter before Althoff began substituting. Brandt tallied 11 for the contest and drew praise from Alberter.

"Brandt's a good player for them. She worked hard — she looked like she wanted it," said the Althoff coach.

Granite City's Alicia Melton finished the game with 16 points, twelve of them coming in the final period.

For Althoff, Jackie Means scored 12 points, Missy Siekmann dropped in 10, Missy Keim added nine, and Lisa Schilling chipped in with eight.

Thurday night the Warriors journey to Alton High School to take on the Redwings. Game time is 6:30.

SCORING

ALTHOFF	17	10	12	9	48
GRANITE	9	7	7	16	39

ALTHOFF (48): Keim 4 1-2 9, Parker 1 0 2, Seikmann 5 0 10, Beal 2 1-1 5, Schilling 4 0 8, Means 6 0 12, Mueller 1 0 2. FG 23, FT 2-3, PF 12.

GRANITE CITY (39): Barrington 0 2-4 2, Morlen 1 0 2, Cox 3 0 6, Melton 7 2-2 16, Brandt 5 1-3 11, Toeniskoetter 1 0 2. FG 17, FT 5-10, PF 8.

SportsBriefs

Venice Park seeks managers for softball

The Venice Park District is currently organizing its summer softball programs. For the league to be a success again this year, the district is currently seeking persons interested in managing and coaching a team.

Persons interested in assisting with the league should call Robert Wigfall, park superintendent, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily at 451-7201 or stop by the park office at 323 Broadway.

High school physicals given Feb. 27

With winter sports beginning their final leg of the season this week, some people are beginning to think spring, particularly Granite City High School Athletic Director Greg Patton.

To be sure that the spring sports' programs get off on the right foot, Patton has slated Wednesday, Feb. 27, as the day that physical examinations will be given at the high school. The exams, which cost $5, are necessary to participate in spring sports.

Athletes who wish to participate in sports this spring who have not had a physcial examination this school year, must attend this session.

The physcials will be given in Memorial Gymnasium, for both boys and girls, beginning at 5 p.m.

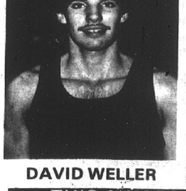
Nelson's still has vacancies

Those team managers who were unable to attend the softball meeting Monday night at Lord Nelson's Sports Complex because of inclement weather may still register their teams in a summer league by calling either 931-6338 or 931-4497.

Vacancies in Lord Nelson's league play remain open for all nights except Monday, which is filled. League openings exist for men's, women's, co-ed, and "30 and over," league play.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

GRANITE CITY CENTER ATHLETE of the WEEK



DAVID WELLER

David Weller was named the Granite City Center Athlete of the Week for January 28 through February 3. The 6'2" guard was selected on the basis of another solid defensive game in an 80-76 Stars' defeat.

Weller has become an expert at "taking the charge" on defense. Coach Terry Collins commented, "David has done an excellent job of helping out his teammates on defense. If one of our opponents drives to the basket, Dave often prevents the basket by taking the charge. This tactic requires good technique and lots of courage. Dave has both."

Weller is a freshman from Civic Memorial High School in Bethalto.

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(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

Increased dividends for holders of GI insurance

More than 168,000 Illinois veterans who kept their GI life insurance in force will share a record $39 million in dividends in 1985, the Veterans Administration has announced.

No application for the annual dividend is necessary, according to Grady Horton, director of the VA regional office in Chicago. He said each policyholder will receive the dividend automatically in the month of the anniversary date of the policy.

Horton said the record high dividend was due to high interest earnings on the insurance funds' investments and lower death rates among poliyholders.

There are 2,191 World War I veterans in Illinois with current policies. The average amount to be paid to these policyholders nationwide is $248. A total 138,577 World War II veterans in the state will receive an average payment of $241. Korean conflict policyholders (there are 22,888 in Illinois) — will receive an average payment of $187.

Disabled veterans from World War II and Korea who have a special type of GI insurance (Veterans Reopened Insurance) also will receive increased individends. This year 4,628 Illinois policy-holders will receive dividends which average $203. Vietnam-era and post-Vietnam era veterans, who have different insurance programs, do not receive dividends.

Horton said the state's dividend payout is part of a national record $798.8 million in 1985 dividends to 3.4 million veterans.

INJURED NEAR BRIDGE

Michael S. Tatosian, 26, of 3941 Village Lane, was injured during the weekend in a one-car accident, occurring about 150 feet north of the McKinley Bridge toll plaza in Venice. The eastbound driver reportedly lost control and struck a utility pole when the vehicle slid on a patch of ice.

STEAL WHEEL, HUBCAPS

All four hubcaps and the left front wheel and tire were stolen from the 1975 Plymouth of Alma Davach, 2572 Parkview Drive, while the vehicle was in a parking area adjacent to her home, she reported Monday.

Political coalition of youth meets

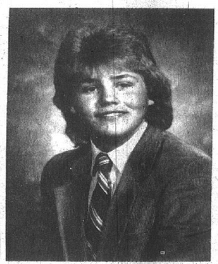
A coalition of young people met recently at the "Von Dee Cruse for Mayor" headquarters in the Nameoki Village Shopping Center. They indicated that the purpose of the meeting was to form a committee called "Youth for Cruse."

The coalition members say they are trying to interest their peers in the political process. During the meeting, Cruse presented a speech on the importance of getting young people involved in the upcoming city elections.

Coalition Chairman Chris Chenevert, 17, a senior at Granite City High School, and Ed Melton IV, a sophomore, served refreshments after Cruse's speech. They also led a question-and-answer period.

Those interested in chairing individual committees were assigned duties and areas in which to campaign for Cruse.

The Youth for Cruse committee plans to meet at 11 a.m. each Saturday at the Cruse headquarters.



CHRIS CHENEVERT

TWO PASSENGERS HURT IN 3-VEHICLE MISHAP

Two passengers in an auto operated by Angela L. Novosel, 17, of Rural Route Two, Box 1183, were hurt in a three-car collision in the northbound lanes of Nameoki Road at Lindell Boulevard at 11:40 a.m. Monday.

Sustaining minor injuries were Trina Kilponen, 17, of 431 Arlington Drive, and Leslie S. Tindall, 17, of 64 University Drive.

Reports said Miss Novosel's auto struck a car halted in traffic, operated by Tammy D. Hansen, 18, of 4000 Gaslight Walk, Pontoon Beach, pushing it into the rear of a vehicle driven by Lynn P. Whitesian, 33, of Caseyville, which also was stopped.

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Conduct, resisting charges are filed

William Duane Brown, 34, of Jonesboro, Ill., was arrested during the weekend in the 2900 block of Edwards Street, where an officer responded to a disturbance call. A woman at that location alleged Brown shouted at her and threatened her.

When the officer tried to talk to Brown, the man allegedly began to walk away and then became abusive to the officer, declined to calm down and struggled, refusing to be handcuffed.

Enroute to police headquarters, Brown allegedly began spitting on officers through the screen in the squad car and also made threats. He was booked on a state charge of disorderly conduct and resisting arrest and was freed after posting $154 cash bail, pending a court appearance.

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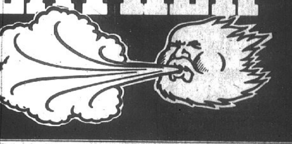

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Engagements

Jennifer Gum

Gum-Hilmes

Former Granite City residents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gum now of Alton, Ill., are announcing the engagment of their daughter, Jennifer Gum to Shannon Hilmes.

The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hilmes of Marine, Ill.

Miss Gum is employed at Target Store in Alton. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Rose Gum of Granite City.

Her fiance works at Rascals Restaurant in Collinsville.

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Joy Bell and Phillip Clutts

Bell-Clutts

The engagement of Miss Joy D. Bell and Phillip E. Clutts Jr., is being announced by the bride-elect's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Wanda) Turner.

Miss Bell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Dawson of Turlock, Calif., and the late L. A. Bell.

Her fiance is the son of Mrs. Ruth Ann Clutts of Granite City.

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Preceptor Chapter to host potluck

Jane Carbone was hostess to Preceptor Delta Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, last week as plans were finalized for a social potluck dinner.

The affair will be held in the home of Candy Thompson on Feb. 11 at 6:30 p.m. At this time the chapter will honor its "sweetheart" Judy Bartel.

A collection was taken for the Statue of Liberty renovation fund and each one voted for the women of the year honor.

Others attending were Anastasia Elieff, Cookie White, Vicki Thomas, Jan Monaghan, Judy Bartel and Candy Thompson.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

Stephen K. Compton and Mary Ann Abernathy, Richard W. Klobe and Theresa C. Clement, Terry L. Pritchard and Pamela J. Maxvill, Jung Lok Shin and Young Sun Gibson, all of Granite City.

Women's Division meeting Feb. 14

"Valentine Day Special" is the theme of the February meeting of the Women's Division of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, set for Feb. 14 at Charlie's Restaurant.

Cocktails will begin at 6 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. and a program and entertainment at 7:30 p.m., according to Jacque DeWitt, president.

Reservations for the dinner, costing $11, must be made no later that Monday, Feb. 11 at 4 p.m. Reservations cancelled after this date must be paid for, the president added.

There will be a representative from the Citizen's Against Crime Association who will speak on self-protection, Mrs. DeWitt explained.

Mr., Mrs. Marti names son Anthony

Andrew Jacob is the name selected by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Mary) Marti of 1240 Oriole St., Venice, for their first child born on Feb. 2 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant weighed 10 pounds, 9 ounces.

Grandparents are, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Kromraj and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marti, all of Granite City.

John Wiggins and Debbie Straedey

Straedey-Wiggins

The engagement of Miss Debbie Straedey and John Wiggins, is being announced by the bride elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Straedey, 2581 Boyle Ave.

Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Sellers, 1845 Spring Ave., and Donald Wiggins of 4 Robin Court.

A January 1984 graduate of Granite City High School North, Miss Straedey is now employed as a legal secretary for Evans & Dixon, attorneys. She also is enrolled at Florissant Valley Community College where she is studying in the paralegal program.

Her fiance works for True Mfg., and was graduated in 1981 from Granite City High school North.

The betrothed couple plan to be married on June 22.

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Debra Buxton and Richard Chandler

Buxton-Chandler

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sandrowski, 413 Bethel Road, Caseyville, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Debra S. Buxton to Richard D. Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Chandler, 2663 Benton St.

Miss Buxton graduated from Collinsville High School in 1978 and is presently attending United Business College in Bridgeton, Mo., where she is studying to become a court reporter.

HEr fiance is an iron worker and welder at Monsanto Plant in Sauget, Ill., and is a 1973 graduate of Granite City High School.

The betrothed couple and their families are completing plans for a July 20 wedding.

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Eagles state president visits local Aerie

Michael D. Smith, Fraternal Order of Eagles state president, of Milan (Rock Island Aerie 956), and his wife Stephanie, this years Illinois State Auxiliary inside guard, recently visited the local Eagles Home, No. 1126, at 2558 Madison Ave.

Traveling with the couple were Della Koster of Rock Island, the 1985 Illinois State Aerie "Mother of the Year," and her husband Leo.

On Saturday morning a breakfast was enjoyed at Ervay's Restaurant, attended by Michael and Stephanie Smith, Leo and Della Koster, Chris and Vernie VonNida, Harold and Margie Love, Don and Yvonne Gray, and Robert Stanton.

Satuday evening, a dinner in honor of the visiting guests was served at tables decorated with vases filled with gold and blue flowers. A large banner, behind the main table, welcomed the president and his wife.

Bud Shaffer, Granite City Aerie chaplain and president of the Southwest Illinois Reye's Syndrome Chapter, gave the blessing prior to the dinner that was prepared by members of the aerie and auxiliary.

Following the meal Harold R. Love, Granite City Aerie president, introduced the state officers, guests and local Aerie officers who were seated at the main table. They included: Bud and Sharon Shaffer, Della and Leo (Stinger) Koster, Bob Stanton (Granite City Aerie past president, F.O.E. District 7 director and Illinois F.O.E. state trustee) and Boots, Michael and Stephanie Smith, Larry Barnhart (Granite City Aerie vice president) and Margaret, John Turner (Granite City Arie treasurer), John Aubuchon (Granite City Aerie secretary) and JoAnn, and Larry Patton Sr. (Granite City Aerie trustee) and Mickey.

Love thanked Flo Stokes, Yvonne Gray and Carol Hill for the social room decorations for the dinner, and thanked the auxiliary for serving the meal.

Love introduced Michael Smith who addressed the members and guests.

Smith said, "I am happy to be a guest at the Granite City Eagles Home and before I came here, I was told to be prepared for a large welcoming banner, but after I saw the banner that is behind me on the wall I can truly say I never expected anything like this. You people of the Granite City Eagles can be proud of your club and the great work you are doing for the Eagle charities. I can see after only being here a short time the friendship and true Eagledom that exists between your Aerie and Auxiliary and I hope I can help other clubs in Illinois achieve the good feelings that are generated by this club."

At this time he asked Carol Hill (Granite auxiliary president) to come up to the microphone. He then presented her with the Fraternal Order of Eagles State President's Citation of Special Recognition which stated: For Excellence of Participation In and Contribution to the Progress of Aerie and Community.

Smith then called on Carl Buehler (Illinois Zone 3 chairman of the Golden Eagle Fund) and his wife Angie Buehler (Illinois F.O.E. Auxiliary state trustee) to accept a dual President's Citation for two of the hardest working husband and wife teams in the Illinois Eagles. He then presented Yvonne Gray (Granite Auxiliary Mother of the Year), Larry W. Barnhart (Granite Aerie vice president), Bud Shaffer (Granite Aerie chaplain), Larry Patton Sr. (Granite Aerie 2 year trustee) and Bob Stanton (Illinois co-chairman of the F.O.E. Diabetes Fund) with the presidents citation.

Smith continued, "I believe I am about to call on someone to accept the President's Citation that isn't expecting it. I left this presentation as a surprise because I have seen the publicity that this club gets in the Granite City Press-Record. You Eagles are very fortunate to have a newspaper like this in your community." Smith then presented Harold Love with the special President's Citation.

Love presented gifts to the state president and to Stephanie Smith and Dela Koster.

The local president introduced Vernie VonNida and thanked her for the corsages and boutonnieres she created for the state and local officers and ladies.

Following the dinner, the Eagles Auxiliary Kitchen Band performed for the entertainment of all. Michael Smith said that he had heard a lot of good things about the Kitchen Band, and the great fun that they have provided for senior citizens and nursing homes.

Members of the Kitchen Band included: Angie Buehler, Mary Havron, Jo Ann Aubuchon, Fuzz Haganauer, Nancy Mullens, Mickey Patton, Phyllis Secka, Ginger Skaggs, Juanita Brown, Vincene Zerlan, Eileen Rickert, Kathy Clark, Marge Kindell, Emma Portell and Lola Barylske.

On Sunday morning an officers breakfast, prepared by the Aerie was enjoyed and later a aerie and auxiliary meeting was held at which time Harold Love announced that Feb. 6 was Founders Day for the Fraternal Order of Eagles and that the Eagles organization would be 87 years old on that day.

Sunday afternoon, the regular monthly meeting of Illinois Fraternal Order of Eagles District 7 was held with Bob Stanton, director, presiding.

The meeting was opened with the district members reciting the Pledge of Allegiance led by conductor Harold Love, followed by the presentation of the Bible and Eagle.

The opening prayer was given by Guido Gasperin, and reports were given by Carl Buehler (Granite City) secretary, Ellis Wiseman (Shiloh Aerie 545) treasurer, and Virgil Gibson (Collinsville Aerie 1051) trustee.

The roll call of district officers included: Past President Bill Hemken (Granite), Randy Odom (Granite), President Bob Stanton (Granite), Vice President John Piper (Wood River 2773 and Granite), Chaplain Guido Gasperin (Collinsville) Bud Shaffer (Granite), Conductor Harold R. Love (Granite), inside guard, Bill Lepping (Alton 254), secretary, Carl Buehler (Granite), Ellis Wiseman (Shiloh), and trustees, Fritz Hoffarth (Shiloh) and Virgil Gibson (Collinsville).

Stanton introduced the Illinois State officers and guests which included: Michael D. Smith, state president, Charles (Rabbit) Landfried Illinois State outside guard and Leo Koster.

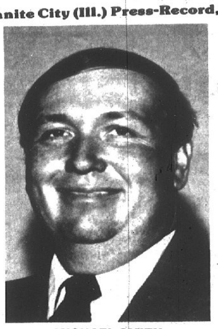
It was also mentioned that Stanton is an Illinois State Trustee this year.

Stanton then asked Mike Smith to talk to the district members, to which Smith responded," I am proud of District 7 and the great response you have given me as your president by the great gains you have achieved in new members since I came into office. Illinois is presently ahead of last years membershikp gains and I believe we can break all records before the end of my term."

John Aubuchon (Granite secretary) announced that there were 16 new members to be initiated into the Granite Aerie, and Don Horn, chairman, and Don Gray were members of the interviewing committee.

Members of the initiating team were: Randy H. Odom (Granite) past president, Ellis Wiseman (Shiloh) president, Fritz Hoffarth (Shiloh) vice president, Bud Shaffer (Granite) chaplain, Bob Stanton (Granite) conductor, Bill Lepping (Alton) inside guard, and John Aubuchon (Granite) secretary.

New members initiated were: Leonard E. Hormann, William Tanner, James Cookson, Frederick Dole, Mike Bell, Kent Watson, John Valencia, Douglas Hayden, Rod Bailey, Jeffrey Nicholas, Erik Larsen, Harold Schockley, George Mills Jr., David Dombek, Gene Ligibel and Jake Hinterser III.


MICHAEL SMITH

Smith then gave a Presidents Citation to Chris VonNida (Granite Aerie trustee).

Following Smith's presentation the installation team for the incoming District 7 officers, consisting of Michael D. Smith, and Charles (Rabbit) Landfried, called each of the new officers to the president podium.

The pledge of office was given each officer by Smith and the badge of office was placed around the neck of each officer by Landfried. New officers installed into District 7 were: Bob Stanton (Granite) past director, John Piper (Wood River and Granite) director, Guido Gasperin (Collinsville) pro-tem Larry W. Barnhart (Granite), vice president, Harold R. Love (Granite) chaplain, Jim Whirledge (Shiloh) conductor, Neil Haida (Belleville 743) inside guard, Fritz Hoffarth (Shiloh) and Virgil Gibson (Collinsville) trustees, Carl Buehler (Granite) secretary, and Ellis Wiseman (Shiloh) treasurer.

Piper announced that the next district meeting would be held in the Wood River club at 2 p.m. on Feb. 10.

President Piper adjourned the meeting after the closing ceremony conducted by Harold Love, Bob Stanton and Larry Barnhart.

Shaffer gave the table prayer following the meeting. Randy Odom announced that the project for the State Cancer Fund, which is State President Mike Smith's project for this year, was a success with $50 collected.

Tricia Brouk wins contest

Tricia Brouk, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johh Kozer Jr. of Granite City, won first place at the junior Miss Dance competition sponsored by Dance Masters of America, Chapter 21.

She will represent DMA at the Regional competition in San Francisco, Calif., this summer.

Miss Brouk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brouk of Arnold, Mo.

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Church Activities

Diocese to offer course on peace

The Peace Pastoral, "Peacemaking Is Not Optional" will be presented by the Rev. Henry Schmidt, Marsha Chomko, Irma Henry, Sister Rosella Uding, C.D.P., and the Rev. Ken Becker. This course will begin on Monday, Feb. 11, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at St. Elizabeth's parish for four weeks.

These sessions are being provided for the people of the diocese to help them become acquainted with the contents of the Bishops' Pastoral The Challenge Of Peace: God's Promise And Our Response. It is based on a workshop by Jim McGinnis of the Institute for Peace and Justice in St. Louis. It not only addresses the issues included in the pastoral but also allows time for prayer and reflection as participants struggle with how, they as Christians, are called to be peacemakers.

This course is sponsored by the Diocesan Catholic Education Office. Catechists seeking certification will receive one Catechist Unit in the category of Morality toward accreditation.

All interested in the cause of peace are welcome to attend his presenation, according to Rev. Schmidt.

Old Time Pentecostal weekend gospel sing

The Old Time Pentecostal Church, 2137 Bryan Ave., will sponsor a weekend gospel singfest on Saturday and Sunday nights, Feb. 9-10, the Rev. G. Hoffman and Rev. E. Peery announces.

Featured as a guest gospel group is the Psalm Messengers directed by Larry Wilson. They are now marking their 17th year as singers.

Services both nights will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Bethel Fellowship plans singspiration

Bethel Bible Fellowship, 25th and August streets, announce its monthly gospel singspiration will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10.

Host pastor, the Rev. Bob Burkett extends an invitation to the public to attend the speical program.

MASTECTOMY CLUB EVENT

The next meeting of the Mastectomy Club will be on Monday, February 11, 1985, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Wiesman Room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center. A film about chemotherapy will be shown. Further details, are available from Sister Mary Louise Moser at 798-3377.

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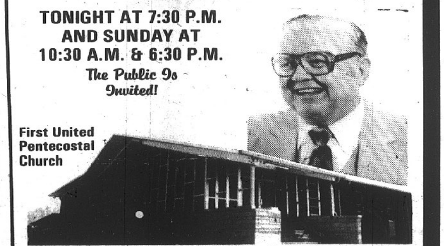

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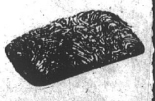

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GIRL SCOUTS Scouting

Boy Scouts attend church services

St. Margaret Mary's Boy Scout Troop and Cub Scout Pack 103 attended and participated in church services, this week, in honor of Scout Sunday. After the services refreshments were available for scout family members and guests in the school cafeteria, followed by the monthly pack meeting and annual pinewood derby race.

All scouts and leaders participated in the flag ceremony, led by the Wolf Scouts. Cubmaster Mrs. Janice Brimberry welcomed the families and their guests and introduced the pinewood derby judges, Ron Luebben and Delbert Downs.

Webelos Scout Matt Costello was awarded the outdoorsman activity badge by Webelos Leaders Jim Seiz and Ed Brown.

Boy Scout Troop 103 displayed the sled, they made and raced in the Kondike Derby held recently at Soutnern Illinois University in Edwardsville, placing third in sled design. Boy Scouts participating were Nick McLaren, Jason Brown, Chris Cupples, and Jeff Seiz. Webelos scouts who also participated were Brian Green, Mike Brimberry, Matt Costello, Brian Seiz and Eric Brown. The pinewood derby rules were read by Bear Leader Richard Dunbar prior to the beginning of the race.

Medals were given to first, second and third place winners in each age group. Winners were: eight year olds: first place, Scott Brimberry; second place, Nathan Knezevich; third place, Tom Cupples. Nine year olds: first place, Michael Kirksey; second place, Daniel Dunbar. Ten year olds: first place, Eric Brown; second place, Brian Seiz; third place, Michael Brimberry.

A final race was then held for the fastest car of the first place winners of each age group with Eric Brown winning the competition. Participation certifications were then presented to all participating cub scouts by Luebben.

The meeting was closed with he Bear Scouts retiring the flags.

Organ Pedalers to meet on Feb. 18

The Feb. 18 meeting of the Amateur Organ Association International Organ Pedalers will be conducted on Monday, Feb. 18, at the National School of Music, 2100 Cleveland Blvd.

Mrs. Irene Dawes will host the meeting to begin at 7 p.m.

Each member is advised to prepare a song in celebration of one of the holidays of the month. Additional information may be obtained by calling 877-4650, Mrs. Dawes added.

Boy Scout leaders honored at dinner meeting

Several local volunteer leaders in the Boy Scout movement were accorded special honors at a recognition dinner hosted at the American Legion Hall in Edwardsville.

W. Jean Grimaud, president of Cahokia Mound Council, served as master of ceremonies. The opening ceremony was presented by Jim Johns, Fred Mercer, Leo Schermer, Heidi Schrader, Ben Hartmann, Paul Tucker, Richard Spillers, LeRoy Stark, W. Jean Grimaud, Lou Bobka, Henry Karandjeff and Jack Vance.

Ben Hartmann, committee chairman for Troop 86, offered the invocation.

Highlight of the night was the presentation of Silver Beaver Awards, the highest award a council can offer.

Marvin Wiedemer of the Uniwah District and a Grante City resident, Bob Bastilla of the Kickaoo District, and Everett Turnbeaugh of Illini District, received the coveted award from Lou Bobka, executive board member.

Wiedemer began his service in scouting as an assistant scoutmaster in 1972 and since then has served as a member of a unit committee, scoutmaster of a jamboree troop and as a scoutmaster of a troop in Cahokia Mound Council.

He has earned the Scouter's Training Award and key and has completed the wood badge requirements as well as receiving the District Award of Merit and the Vigil Honor of the Order of the Arrow.

Wienemer is an active member of his church serving on many committees and the board, is a member of the Holy Name Society at church and holds membership in the Knights of Columbus.

Everett Turnbeaugh began his scouting career as a troop committee member in 1971 and continued as an active member of scouting on a unit, district and council level. He also served as assistant scoutmaster, district committee member, unit commissioner and unit chairman.

Turnbeaugh earned the scouter's Training Award and scouter's key as a commissioner and also earned the Vigil of Honor of the Order of the Arrow.

An active member and deacon of his church, Turnbeaugh is also a volunteer fireman, a 38-year member of the Moose Lodge, member and past master of a Masonic Lodge in his community and also holds membership in an American Legion Post.

The other recipient of the honor award Robert Bastilla started in the scouting service as a member of a district committee in 1965. He also served as a member of a pack, post committee, an executive board member, vice president of the council and as chairman of his district.

Bastilla earned the Scouter's Training Award, completed wood badge training and received the District Award of Merit. An active church member he served as a Sunday school teacher, choir member, member of the board of trustees and on other committees. He is a chapter member and past president of the PTA in his community, past member of the Vocational Education Advisary Board, is on the board for the Future Farmers of America and alderman in his town. The honoree also has been a board member of the Madison County Cancer Association and active in the Toastmasters Club, Chamber of Commerce, The Lions Club, where he is a past president, deputy district governor and presently a zone chairman.

Other service recognition was to Gertrude Luebben, vice president-program of Cahokia Mound Council, and Ronald Luebben commissioners recognition. Bill Monical, scout executive, gave the 75th year report.

The benediction was offered by Dave Trower, assistant scoutmaster of Troop 13.

SCOUTERS HONORED. Silver Beaver Awards were presented at a dinner meeting hosted at the American Legion Hall in Edwardsville. Recipients include from left, Marvin Wiedemer of Granite City and member of the Uniwah District, Robert Bastilla of Kickapoo District and Everett Turnbeaugh of Illini District.

Winter programs for Girl Scouts

A variety of programs are being offered to area Girl Scouts and Brownie Scouts by the River Bluffs Girl Scout Council.

Cadettes and senior scouts are invited to participate in the "Moonlight Madness" project on Friday, Feb. 15, from 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. The concept is designed for the older scouts to visit several business places to discover how they operate while most people are asleep, a council spokesman explained.

Thinking Day extravaganza a time to celebrate the unity of girl Scouts and Girl Guides around the globe and is scheduled for Feb. 23-24 at Camp Torqua-Lisetta Troop House and Tuckaway Troop House, both near Edwardsville, and Camp Keck Lodge in Belleville.

A tournament featuring junior new games is planned for March 23 at Southern Illinois University with sessions planned for 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Those interested are to register befor March 1 and the fee is $4 per person and includes a patch. Limit is set on 800 persons per session, the council added.

Another project for cadettes is Follow Me Girls to take place on March 15-17 at Camp ChanYaTam near Prairietown, Camp Torqua, Edwardsville and Camp Keck, Belleville.

This event is arranged to discover how the first Girl Scouts set-up camp, and to learn how to send a message with flags called semaphore signalling. Other activiites will include archery, making a sun clock and learn how to secure a burglar with eight inches of cord.

Cost of the two day event is $10 per person and registrations must be made by Feb. 22.

Chapter to host Valentine party

Plans for a Valentine party were finalized by members of Laureate Alpha Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, at a meeting conducted in the home of Mrs. Lori Mae Lombardi, 2328 Zippel Ave.

During the social affair each one will remember their beta buddy with a Valentine gift, the president, Imogene Forrest announced.

Mrs. Forrest opened the meeting at 8 p.m. and read a letter from International giving permission to confer the Laureate degree on Juanita Calve, and also enclosed a pin for the honoree.

"Can Weather Affect Your Weight" was the subject of a program presented by Arlene Haldeman followed by a genreal discussion.

Immediately following the closing ritual the chapter conferred the degree on Mrs. Calve with Mrs. Forrest assisted by Mrs. Haldeman and Pat Tsigolaroff participating. Mrs. Calve was crowned with a living ivy wreath handcrafed by Jane Stevens.

The hostess and social committee for the evening served refreshments to Dolores Byrnes, Evelyn Tolliver and those mentioned.

Pinewood derby winners

Winners of the pinewood derby race conducted for members of Pack 19 from Prather School were announced by the cubmaster, at the monthly meeting. Winners will proceed to the Uniwah District race set for March 16, he added.

The event will be held at Granite City Center, Maryville Road and Route 203. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. with competition to start at 10 a.m., the cubmaster explained.

Winners named in three categories include; 8-year old group, Kevin Bennett, first, Stan Martinez, second and Jeremie Geggus, third; 9-year old division, Brad Skalsky, first, Richard Harms, second, and Howard Patterson, third; and in the 10-year old category there was one contestant, Vincent Schildman.

DAR plans special Valentine for Statue of Liberty fund

The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution has proclaimed Thursday, Feb. 14, as Liberty Love Day. On this day, all 211,000 members will participate in a one-day nationlly coordinated effort to raise funds for the restoration of the Statue of Liberty. Locally the Drusilla Andrews Chapter is sponsoring this effort, with each member making her own contribution and contacting at least five non-members for donations.

The Statue of Liberty will be 100 years old in 1986 and a major undertaking is in progress to restore this monument.

This landmark is now wrapped in a vast framework of aluminum that has the shape of a modern, multi-storied office building. However, the scafolding is done in a way that the Statue's shape remains visible from a distance. It will take over two years to complete the restoration and cost a total of $45 million, according to the Statue of Liberty/Ellis Island Foundation. The rededication is scheduled for the statue's birthday—Oct. 28, 1986.

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Webster PTA sponsors RIF reading program

Webster School PTA will meet at 7:15 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, and discuss its R.I.F. program to begin Monday and continue through Feb. 24.

The project is entitled "In Celebration of Reading," and designed to encourage children to read away from school. Each child who reads a required amount for their age level will receive a certificate and opportunity to have their name selected for the national program on April 2. The national winner will receive a trip to Washington, D.C. and prizes, according to Mrs. Mae Werner, unit president.

The president announces the Campbell Soup label drive conducted in January netted the organization 1,000 labels. Top winner received Webster School book bags and included Jane Harris, a sixth grade student, who collected 165 labels, and Bryan Johnson, an afternoon kindergarten pupil, who collected 143 labels.

Mrs. Cochran reports the next fund raising project will be selling candy bars and will be conducted from Feb. 14 through March 4.

All parents are invited to attend the meeting Monday night and attendance prizes will be awarded during the session, the president added.

Mitchell news

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens held their January meeting at the Township Hall. A pot luck dinner was served. The Rev. William Richardson offered prayer.

After presentation of the township flag and the American flag by Marie Whyers and Sally Segar, Josephine Burgener, president, conducted the meeting, with reports given by Avalon Young and Hazel Mullens.

Josephine Burgener was presented with a corsage as outgoing president. Election of Offices was held, John Kleeman, nominating chairman, presenting names to be voted on.

Helen Roesner was elected president, Avalon Young first vice president, John Decota second vice president, Lorraine Stagner secretary and Pearl Turner, treasurer.

The birthdays of Marie Whyers, Viola Spicer and Barbara Fulmer were observed, along with the 46th wedding anniversary of Jesse and Velma Presley.

Prizes went to Hazel Mullens, Fern Gieselman and Geraldine Rogers.

The new president announced the executive board will meet Feb. 14 at 1 p.m. A regular meeting will be held Feb. 28 with a pot luck at 6 p.m.

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Mrs. Mark (Tina) LaRose was complimented with cradle shower at the Township Hall, given by Velma Klein, Norma LaRose and Joyce Fox. Games were played and prizes were awarded to Catherine Burns, Janine Keck, Ruth Wolf, Martha Katzman, Renee Ballew, Loretta Worthen and Laura Sullivan.

Janine Keck received a prize as the newest mother, Emily Jones as the oldest mother, Lois Weeks the oldest grandmother and Sue Jackson, youngest grandmother present.

The honoree was assisted in opening her gifts by Linda Ballew and Joan LaRose.

Refreshments were served to those mentioned and Amy LaRose, Betty Skinner, Flossie Sands, Gale Bevins, Jenny Jones, Mary J. Kolka, Viola Spicer, Lucille Werner, Verna Morris, Theresa Morgan, Shirley Pasley, Melody McElroy, Lee Ann Engelka, Kelli Ullery, Jean Meyers, Thelma Morelan, Karen Hutchings and Connie Kurley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lesko, 129 Cynthia Lane, have returned home from Loves Park, Ill., where they visited their son-in-law and daughter and welcomed a new granddaughter, born Dec. 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Cynthia Lesko) Goodman. The infant weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces, and has been name Rachael. She has a brother, Jarred Lesko Goodman, 5 years old, and a sister, Brooke, 2 years old. The Goodmans formerly live in Mitchell.

Childhood literature is chapter program

Favorite childhood literature was the program topic of members of Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, during a meeting osted in the home of Mrs. Linda Koenig.

The group discussed favorite stories and rhymes as they remembered the variations that each had learned. Several books containing rhymes and children stories were shared with the group.

Marilyn Lumpkins announced she received the permit to confer degrees and the discount gift order from the International office, and Mrs. Carol Cathey distributed information relating to ways and means projects.

Betty Beck, the chapter social chairman, reported on plans for activities this month to include a craft sharing night, a pizza party and a pledge ritual.

The traveling basket was awarded to Vicki Barth followed by refreshments served by the hostess. Also present were Kathy Kennerly and B. J. Jones.

Niedringhaus pupils learn hand signals

Niedringhaus School students learned hand signals in their music classes to correlate the eight pitches of the scale, Do, Re, Mi, Fa, So, La, Ti, and Do. The signals show the children that the scale pitches are different giving them a visual aid to help with the aural differentiation of the eight sounds, Patricia Dineff, music teacher explained.

At a recent children's concert hosted at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, the pupils heard several pieces sung with these solfege syllables as well as with humorous lyrics. Each song of the collection "Sol-Fa-So-Good" featured a pun of a solfege syllable, the teacher added.

She continued, the children's concert, directed and presented by Dr. Leonard Van Camp of SIUE music staff, featured two of his singing groups, The University Singers and the Concert Chorale.

Some of the children involved in this particular aspect of the class included, Kathy Engelke, Kathleen Ramsey, Jason Milton, Kim Schnefke, David Edwards, Becky Hill, Amy Isom, Tammy Spillers and Ricky Barnes.

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ELSIE GLIK celebrated her 90th birthday Monday. Mrs. Glik took over management of the only Glik's store in Madison after her husband, Morris, died in 1944. Joe Glik, her son and present owner, took over the management of the store in the early 1950s and expanded the chain. Today he works with his three sons, Bob, Jeff and Jim, and the family-owned apparel business has grown to 15 stores.

First birthday of Tara M. Meehan

Tara Michelle Meehan was honored on her first birthday at a party hosted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew (Babette) Meehan, 623 Broadway, Venice, in their home during the weekend.

Guests attending were the guest of honor's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meehan and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Economy and her great-grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Meehan.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Murphy, Eileen Meehan, Sally Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gonterman, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hogan and Danny Tolliver.

Parents of gifted students will meet

Parents of gifted children attending schools in Granite City District Nine are being invited to bring their students to Parkview Elementary School, 3200 Maryville Road, on Monday, Feb. 18, at 7 p.m.

Miss Yuko Ito will demonstrate Japanese character writing and Oragami, the Japanese art of paper folding.

Miss Ito is a member of The Youth for Understanding exchange program, representing Chigasaki, Japan.

Edward Schroeder will conduct an information program for parents, explaining "the gifted student in junior high."

PRATHER SCHOOL PTA TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

All parents of students enrolled at Prather School are invited to attend the monthly PTA meeting on Monday, Feb. 11, to begin at 7 p.m., according to an announcement by Joy Bohnenstiehl, president.

A representative from the American Red Cross will speak at the session in relation to the annual blood drive, sponsored by the Area PTA Council. Movies will be shown to the children whose parents are present, the president added.

Granite Chapter 650 hosts 'Friends Night'

Granite Chapter 650, Order of the Eastern Star, invited guests from other OES Chapters in the metropolitan area to serve as officers for the annual Friends Night observance, held during the weekend at the Masonic Temple.

Guest officers included Sheila Hayes, worthy matron of Queen City Chapter, Michael Hayes, worthy patron of Queen City, Martha Gutterman, associate matron of Queen City, Ed Gutterman, associate patron of Queen City, Ethel Herzberg, secretary, Highland, Dona Boyer, treasurer, Granite 650, Louise Webb, conductress of Queen City, Dorothy Watkins, associate conductress, Granite 650, Brenda Dundon, Marshal of Queen City, and Mary Ann DeHart, organist, Isabel Dieckmann, Ruth, Donna Kagy, Esther, Bessie Henely, Martha, Karmyn Edmonds, Electa, Arline Fox, warder, and Neal Kelso, sentinel, all of Granite 650.

Those escorted and accorded honors were, Alma Hohrein of O'Fallon, and Rose Blittersdorf of Columbia, grand representatives, Corinne Schleuter of Belleville and Hazel Wood of Granite 650, grand lecturers. Also seven past matrons, five past patrons and one worthy matron.

Sheila Hays and Michael Hays, guest worthy matron and worthy patron, opened the meeting and then gave the gavel to Wanda MacDonough, worthy matron of the host chapter.

Other visitors were introduced by Mrs. MacDonough and she then announced Sharon Cory is ill and Leo White is a patient at Oliver Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

She noted a member, Opal Atchison died recently and the Soechtig family requests memorials be given to the Eastern Star Home needs and Wendell Giritz requested memorials for his late wife, Betty Giritz, be donated to the American Cancer Society.

In other business the committees for the annual chicken dinner, set for March 3, were announced.

The worthy matron stated that as spices bring zest into food, so can they be a symbol of life. Rosemary is a symbol of fidelity and remembrance, Thyme is activity and courage and all spice is a combination of tactfulness, enthusiasm, knowledge, unity and compassion.

Each officer serving as a friend received a spice rope created by the worthy matron. A friendship poem to Sheila Hays was recited by Mrs. MacDonough followed by the worthy matron and worthy patron, William MacDonough presenting gifts to both Sheila and Michael Hays.

The presiding officers announced Shirley Schwendemann of Granite Chapter served as Electa at the Walton Chapter.

Michael Hays invited all members to attend the corned beef and cabbage supper on March 15 sponsored by Queen City Chapter in Fairview Heights.

Since the theme of the evening was oriental, several officers were dressed in authentic costume and the dining room reflected the same motif. Each place setting featured a pair of chopsticks and bowls of fortune cookies and after dinner mints. Centerpieces were folding fans in varied colors and Japanese paper lanterns were suspended from the ceiling. An oriental menu was served.

Special Education meeting canceled

The general meeting of Parents for Special Education will not be held this month due to weather conditions, however there will be an emergency session of the Tri-City Association for he Retarded conducted on Monday, Feb. 11, at St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nmeoki Road at 7 p.m., Mrs. Kay Hahne announces.

This meeting is primarily planned to increase membership in the organization.

Also announced is the February skating party is also canceled.

Activites to be continued include bowling every Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Bowland Lanes and basketball practice for boys 18 and older every Thursday at Louis Baer School, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

The next dance at the Venice Recreation hall is set for Friday, Feb. 8, and will continue every second Friday of the month. Donations are $1 per person and only those age 15 and over may attend. For transportation arrangements interested parties are advised to contact Kay Hahne at 451-9832.

Another annual project is the Job Fair which is now in the planning stages with the target date set for April 19 in Engelbert Hall in Madison.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

Thomas H. Epperson and Betty Jean Welsh, Ted J. Kuberski and Joan Marie Boker, Richard D. McKee and Lillian Kay Smith, Christopher L. Schutzenhofer and Patricia A. Levart, all of Granite City.

Kevin James Slayton and Gina Sue Thompson, Mark D. Kennerly and Diane M. Buecker, Mark A. Lang and Linda F. Bell, Kevin W. Whitt and Cynthia A. McFalls, all of Granite City.

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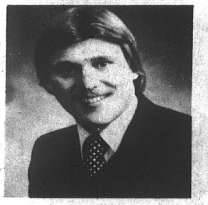

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Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:

Granite City School Board 7 p.m. today, Feb. 7, at 20th-Adams

Madison School Board 7:30 p.m. today, Feb. 7, at 1707 Fourth St.

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Three charged with burglaries

The solving of three recent burglaries by Pontoon Beach Police have led to the arrest and the concurrent charging of three men in that village.

According to Pontoon Beach Police Chief Chet Ballew, village police have solved the burglaries of the Pontoon Beach VFW Post 1245, which occurred in November, and the residential burglaries at the homes of Terry McQueen, 4140 Davison St., lot 21, and of Sharon Day, 3801 Lake Drive, lot 236.

According to Ballew, Jack A. Est, 21, of 64 Kaseberg Lane in Pontoon Beach, has been charged with two counts of burglary, that of the VFW Post and the McQueen residence. His bond has been set at $40,000.

Also charged with buglary is Eugene Johnson, 17, of 62 Kaseberg Park. Johnson is charged with one count of burglary, that of the Jan. 3, burglary of Sharon Day residence. Johnson, who already sought on a warrant when the burglary was committed, is being held in lieu of $35,000 bond.

The third person charged with burglary is John C. Chronister, 18, of 4028 Oakmont Apt. 2. Chronister is charged with one count of burglary for his alleged participation in Mrs. Day's home burglary. Like Johnson, his bond is set at $35,000.

Ballew said charges were brought against the men as the result of continued departmental investigations.

Police said loot from the VFW Post, 4257 Revelle Lane, included assorted bottles of liquor, cases of beer, cash and other miscellaneous items valued at $225.

Taken from the McQueen residence was mostly jewelry and coins valued at 1,500.

Removed from Mrs. Day's home were jewelry, a camera, a portable stereo system and miscellaneous items valued at $1,000.

BURGLARY ATTEMPT STOPPED

An attempted burglary at the home of Carolyn Wallace, 121 Garesche Homes, Madison, was apparently stopped earlier this week when her neighbor knocked on her door. The neighbor told police she saw two black males, wearing black masks exiting from the home. Nothing was believed taken at the time the report was filed.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK. More than 225 students at Sacred Heart-St. Joseph School release hundreds of brightly-colored balloons Monday in observance of National Catholic Schools Week this week. Each balloon has a student's name and the school's address, in addition to the reason for the balloon release. It is hoped that those finding the balloons will send back the cards so the children can find out how far their messages travel. *(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)*

Indecent liberties with child alleged

The Madison County Grand Jury returned an indictment last week against David M. Wachter, 37, of 2544 Edison Ave. A warrant alleging aggravated indecent liberties with a child was then issued through the Madison County Criminal Court Division.

Wachter was arrested on the charge in the 2500 block of Washington Avenue at 10:15 a.m. Friday and appeared in the Granite City court the same day. Pending arraignment, he posted $7,500 cash bail and was released.

The case originated through a division of the Madison County Circuit Court and the county sheriff's department then was alerted.

Detective Sergeant Stephen Nonn of the sheriff's office was assigned to investigate certain allegations that had surfaced concerning possible sexual abuse of a child.

Shortly afterward, it was learned the reported incidents allegedly had occurred within the Granite City Police Department's venue and Detective Craig Nonn, brother of the county officer, entered the investigation.

The victim only 4 years old, it is alleged. Due to the youngster's age, assistance in evaluating the psychological profile of the child was sought from a psychologist at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The psychologist also treated the child, served as consultant on the case and testified before the grand jury, Det. Craig Nonn explained.

The Nonn brothers have worked closely on the case since last April and are continuing to do so in the investigation, which still is ongoing, the Granite City detective said yesterday.

UNLAWFUL SALE TO MINOR IS ALLEGED

Richard William Klobe, 23, of 2402 Nameoki Road, a bartender at Jacobsmeyer Tavern, Edwards and August streets, was charged with unlawful sale of alcohol to a minor when officers went to the bar during the weekend. He posted $102 cash bail and was released.

Charged with being minors in possession of alcohol were Janette M. Vaughn, 20, of 1526 Cottage Ave., Jeffrey A. Dalton, 19, of 2604 Missouri Ave., and Lee Ann Alvey, 18, of St. Louis. Each was released after posting a $52 cash bond.

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Echols' re-election volunteers to meet

Further plans for the election campaign of Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols will be discussed at a meeting at noon Saturday, Feb. 9, in the Venice Senior Citizens' Community Center, Klein and Brown streets, Venice.

Charles Collins, an organizer of the Committee to Re-elect Mayor Echols, said friends of the incumbent mayor and all concerned citizens of Venice are being urged to attend Saturday's planning session.

Additional information may be obtained by calling Collins at 451-2132.

Roundtable meeting set at Niedringhaus Church

A Roundtable meeting for the Uniwah Boy Scout District will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, in the Niedringhaus United Methodist Church basement. The meeting place has been changed from Coolidge Junior High.

The theme for the meeting is "Stepping into Shape," and Scouts who are properly attired will be presented a blue bead.

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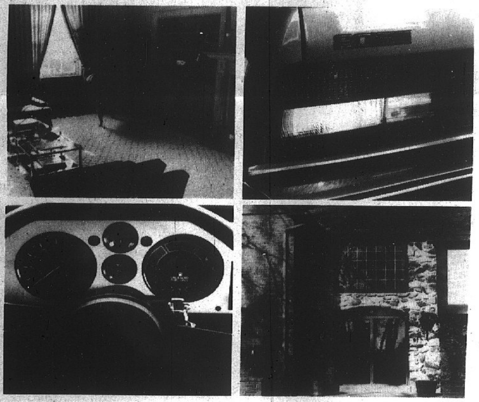

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On campus

Gov. Thompson announces increase for IBHE budget

Governor James R. Thompson announced last week that he is recommending a record $1.6 billion for higher education in Illinois for Fiscal Year 1986, an increase of 13.7 percent over FY-85 expenditures.

"This is a sound and progressive budget for our State's institutions of higher learning," the governor said. "It calls for educational reform, it calls for strengthening the foundation of our educational system, it calls for increasing capital commitment and it calls for increasing the bond between higher education and a stronger state economy."

IN A LETTER TO William B. Browder, Chairman of the Illinois Board of Higher Education, the governor outlined his general priorities for higher education and told the board it would have to "recommend a specific allocation of this budgetary recommendation for all higher education programs and agencies."

The governor also said: "Last year, I conveyed to you an approach of prudent fiscal planning and encouraged a more optimistic outlook for future years. Our prudence was justified: we have maintained fiscal integrity through recessionary times even while funding important initiatives in economic development and advanced technology in higher education. It is now appropriate and incumbent on us to move forward together more aggressively in building a greater Illinois through investment in education."

The Governor made the following recommendations ($ in thousands): General Revenue Fund, 1,248,599; Build Illinois Fund, 20,000; Universities Income Fund, 212,754; Agricultural Premium Fund, 8,969; Fire Prevention Fund, 960; Real Estate Research and Education Fund, 255; Board of Governors Cooperative Computer Center Revolving Fund, 3,359; Federal State Student Incentive Grant Fund, 4,200; Student Loan Fund-Reimbursements, 104,800; Student Loan Fund-IGLP Administrative Revenues, 8,300 and State Community College-Income Fund, 2,200.

THE RECOMMENDATION represents an increase in General Revenue and Build Illinois funds of $147 million, or 13.1 percent over FY-85, including $823,100 for the University Civil Service System and a continuation of retirement funding at 60 percent of payout.

The governor's recommendations also included:

—An average salary increase of 8 percent for all faculty and staff.

—**AT LEAST $22** million for new public university program initiatives in economic development and improved educational quality.

—Funding for these new and expanded programs that will support administration and educational joint goals of improving the core undergraduate disciplines by upgrading instructional and laboratory equipment.

—Strengthening engineering education, including the establishment of a new College of Engineering at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb.

—**INSTITUTING** research and public service initiatives in biotechnology and agricultural sciences.

—Supporting a new National Center for Scientific and Engineeing Supercomputing at the University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign to be financed in conjunction with federal funds and grants.

—Recruiting and retaining minorities at the undergraduate, graduate and professional levels.

—**IMPROVING** elementary and secondary schools through reading and curriculum development, upgrading teacher skills and granting access to university faculties and laboratories.

—Include expanded support for advanced technology and economic development grants at public community colleges.

—Increase by $1 million the medical scholarship program for students who agree to practice in underserved areas of the state.

—**URGE THAT THE** maximum monetary award be increased by $450 to $2,850 to reaffirm Illinois' commitment to providing students access to opportunities and a rich diversity of choice among postsecondary institutions.

—Establish an elementary and secondary education program to be conducted in the Japanese language, offering required courses in the Japanese curriculum. Such a school will make it possible for Japanese managers to be accompanied by their families while on entrepreneurial missions in Illinois and to enjoy the full confidence that Illinois can meet the educational needs of their children.

—$20 million in a Build Illinois Fund to be appropriated for a new program to support the ongoing repair and renovation of facilities at public universities and community colleges.

THE GOVERNOR noted that with the exception of retirement funding and General Revenue funds, his budget reflects all other funds at the appropriation levels recommended by the Board of Higher Education.

The governor also said that he would defer judgement on the proposed tuition increase until he has reviewed the board's allocation and the action of the university governing boards and the General Assembly.

GCC offers flower arranging class

Granite City Center of Belleville Area College is offering two sections of "Basic Flower Arrangement and Crafts," a community-service course.

The first section will meet Tuesdays, beginning Feb. 19. The second will meet Thursdays, beginning Feb. 21. Both will meet from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for eight weeks.

THE NON-CREDIT course will meet at Herring Factory of Flowers and Craftery, 2700 Madison Ave.

Each eight-week class is divided into two four-week sessions. The first four weeks, will be spent working with fresh flowers and the last four weeks with silk and craft flowers. Students may enroll for each four week session or for both sessions.

The cost for each four-week session is $15. If the student enrolls for the complete eight-week course, the cost is $25.

THE CLASS WILL be taught by Ellis Herring, owner of the Herring Factory of Flowers and Craftery. Herring will share more than 25 years of experience of flower arranging with his students.

A maximum of 12 students will be accepted into each class on a first-come, first-served basis beginning now and continuing through the first night of class.

To enroll, or for more information, students may call 931-0600.

On campus briefs

Belleville Area College

A ONE-MAN SHOW, David Naster, will perform at Belleville Area College, Tuesday, Feb. 19. Naster's show is a combination of comedy, juggling and musical performance. The free performance will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in BAC's first floor lounge. The performance is part of the Midday Express series sponsored by BAC's Student Activities Office.

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE, in conjunction with the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA), recently trained 10 people for possible employment at A.O. Smith Co. of Granite City. During the two-week training session, the students were taught gas metal arc welding. Those who pass a proficiency exam will be considered for employment at A.O. Smith Co.

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE will suspend its math and English placement testing program at its Belleville campus for two months. Testing will resume Wednesday, April 10, for summer and fall semester students. Beginning April 10, the test will be administered twice each Wednesday when school is in session.

All new students taking three or more college-credit classes will be required to take the test. All students taking college-credit math or English courses for the first time will also have to take the test.

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE is sponsoring a performance by the Chicago City Ballet Wednesday, March 6, as part of the annual Fine Arts Fest. The performance will be at 8 p.m. at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, 1267 N. 57th St. in Belleville.

The troupe will perform "Brahms Waltzes," "The Four Temperaments" choreographed by George Balanchine; and "Joie de Vivre." Tickets are $4.50 for adults and $3 for students and children. For information or tickets, interested persons may call 1-235-2700, extension 205.

ELROY NEWSOME OF VENICE was named to the honor roll at Belleville Area College for the fall 1984 semester. To attain honors, a student must maintain at least a 3.0 average on the college's 4.0 system. High honors requires a 3.5 average.

SEVEN RESIDENTS OF MADISON were named to the honor roll at Belleville Area College for the fall 1984 semester. Ray Dailey, Veronica Jones, Robert Kasprovich, Tammy Kemp, Tommye Lynn and Veronica Williams earned high honors. Linda Stacey earned honors.

To attain honors, a student must maintain at least a 3.0 average on the college's 4.0 system. High honors requires a 3.5 average.

SIU at Edwardsville

"BLACKS OWNING A BUSINESS" will be the topic of a lecture on Tuesday, Feb. 12, in the Board Room of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Dwight Flowers, an owner and operator for the McDonald's Corporation, will speak from 11:30 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. on the significance of blacks in business for themselves. The free lecture is part of the university's observance of Black History Month.

THE GROUP, "IPSO FACTO," will present a free "Center Stage" concert Monday, Feb. 11, from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the Goshen Lounge of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. The group specializes in reggae music, a Jamaican combination of jazz and blues. The concert is a part of the university's observance of Black History Month.

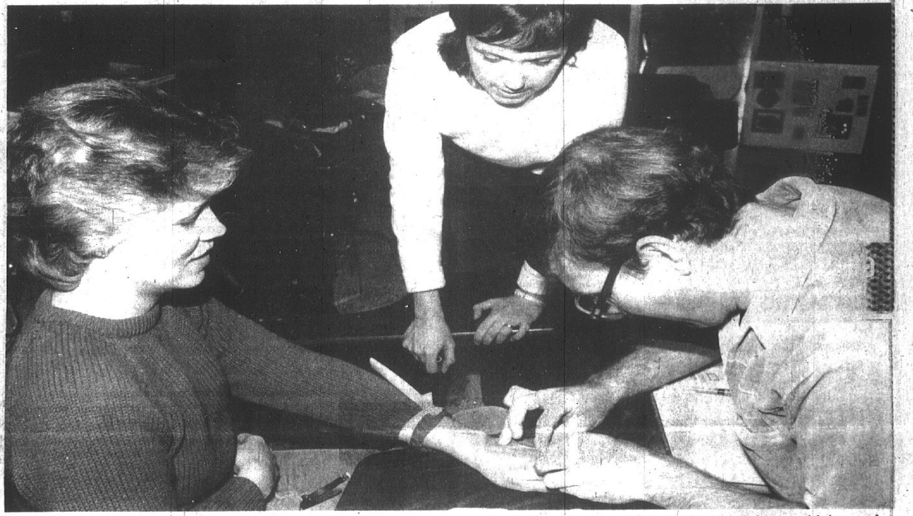
THE EAST ST. LOUIS LINCOLN Senior High School and the East St. Louis Senior High School choirs will perform "Center Stage" on Wednesday, Feb. 13, from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the Goshen Lounge of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edeardsville. The free concert is a part of the university's observance of Black History Month, which will continue until Feb. 26.

THE PREMIERE PERFORMANCE of a new composition, "Concertino for Piano and String Orchestra" by Andrew Sawchuck will open a concert by the University Symphony Orchestra at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville on Friday, Feb. 15.

The concert will begin at 8:15 p.m. in the Communications Building theater. Sawchuck is a graduate student in the SIUE department of music; he will perform on piano. Admission is free and the public is cordially invited.

Other area colleges

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY'S PERFORMING ARTS Arena will present James Baldwin's "Blues for Mister Charlie" at 8 p.m. Feb. 8 and 9 and 15 and 16 in Edison Theatre, located in Mallinckrodt Center on campus. Admission is $4 for the general public and $3 for Washington University faculty, staff and all area students. For more information, interested persons may call the box office at 1-314-889-6543.



LEARNING NURSING PROCEDURES. Dan Frey gains experience in the nursing laboratory at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, with Maggie Carpenter of Granite City, posing as a patient. The procedure takes place under the watchful eye of Mary Coats, a member of the nursing faculty. Frey and Mrs. Carpenter are seniors at the university, majoring in nursing. *(SIUE Photo)*

SIUE to observe Financial Aid Awareness Week

The week of Feb. 10 to 15 has been proclaimed Financial Aid Awareness Week by Gov. James Thompson.

According to state officials, the week supports the state's commitment to higher education by providing financial aid information to students, families and other interested individuals.

RECOGNIZING THE increasing demand for well-trained people, as well as the rising cost of postsecondary education, Gov. Thompson feels it is urgent for all people to be aware of federal, state and local sources for financial assistance.

In observance of the week, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has scheduled a number of activities, including informational workshops for prospective and continuing students at the university, high school students, interested parents and others interested in learning more about student loans, scholarships and grants.

Informational workshops are scheduled Feb. 12 and 13 at the Edwardsville campus, meeting in the Red Bud Room of the University Center at 7 p.m. both days. A third workshop will be held Feb. 13 in Room 1013 of the East St. Louis Center at the same time. The workshops are specifically designed to assist students and parents in finding out if they can qualify for any of the financial programs.

JOHN JENNETTEN, director of Student Work and Financial Assistance at the university, said it will be possible for interested persons to obtain a preliminary estimate of their eligibility for loans, scholarships or grants. The workshops are free.

Jennetten said various types of financial assistance are available from federal, state and local sources.

Two major sources are the Illinois State Scholarship Commission's (ISSC) monetary award and the Pell Grant Program.

ISSC AWARDS are made up to the amount of tuition and fees for Illinois residents attending Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, and are based on financial need. Pell grants provide up to $2,100 per year for undergraduate students from families having limited incomes.

Three federal programs include the Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant, providing up to $2,000 annually; College Work-Study, in which educational expenses are paid through part-time work; and the National Direct Student Loan, where the principal is paid back at five percent interest, beginning six months after the recipient has left college.

Jennetten said local banks also offer loan programs, including the Illinois Guaranteed Student Loan Program at eight percent interest. With the Illinois Guaranteed Student Loan Program, eligible students may borrow up to $2,500 each academic year to help pay university costs.

IN ADDITION, there is the Auxiliary Loan Program, providing up to $2,500 for eligible undergraduates and $3,000 for eligible graduate students, as well as the Parent Loan Program, providing loans to parents up to $3,000 per year at 12 percent interest.

"Financial Aid Awareness Week is a statewide program oriented mainly toward new students," Jennetten said. "In conjunction with that, we are trying to reach continuing students who may have financial needs but who have never made application before. We are also conducting activities to make continuing students at the univrsity aware that they must apply for aid annually," he said.

Additional information concerning Financial Aid Awareness Week or the availability of financial resources at the university may be obtained by contacting the SIUE Office of Student Work and Financial Assistance at 1-692-3880.

GC students named to BAC honor roll

One hundred and one residents of Granite City were named to the honor roll at Belleville Area College for their academic achievements during the fall semester.

To attain honors, a student must maintain at least a 3.0 average on the college's 4.0 system. High honors requires a 3.5 average.

THOSE STUDENTS receiving high honors include: Barry Adams, Cynthia Black, Anita Boone, Gerald Briggs, Michael Britt, Bill Campbell, Janice Camren, Harold Cantlon, Melinda Cigelske and Sandra Cooper.

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Sandra Hicks, Edward Hoffman, Bruce Holt, Lydia King, Jill Koenig, Kevin Link, Lauri Lockwood, Rhonda Mathenia, Richard McDaniel and Donna Milton.

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Carla Stricker, Tamara Taylor, Terry Tinsley, Samuel Walker and Gina Waltemate.

Those Granite City students making the BAC honor roll are: Darla Anderson, Terry Atkins, Jeff Baiter, Janet Barringer, Joseph Barron, Kathleen Boyer, Claudia Branch, Henry Brown, Darline Campbell and Ronald Carich.

CRAIG CAVINS, Betty Christopher, Marilyn Chronister, Pamela Church, Tammy Dallas, Timothy Dean, Conseitta Depp, Christina Dickerson, Robert Dietrich, Mary Fitzpatrick and Denise Goode.

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Carolyn Tuft, Connie Uzunoff, Nell Walch, Bryan Watts, Daniel Whiteside and James Wyrostek.

SIUE professor named editor of journal

Barbara Quinn Schmidt, associate professor of English languge and literature at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, has been named to a four-year term as editor of the "Victorian Periodicals Review."

The journal is currently being moved from its previous base at the University of Toronto, a major center for Victorian studies. Professor Schmidt plans to publish the first SIUE-based issue of the quarterly journal in late April. "The process is quite slow," said Professor Schmidt. "We're attempting to bring things together."

CURRENTLY, Mrs. Schmidt and her graduate assistant, Jeanette Rudder, are sending subscription notices to the 250 subscribers scattered across several continents.

The SIUE faculty member said the 18-year-old review is dedicated to those who are interested in finding where certain works by Victorian authors were published. The review provides an outlet for ongoing research in this field. "We are a small, unique group of people," she said. "The review is a way to begin." The journal is the voice of the Research Society for Victorian Periodicals, of which Professor Schmidt is the vice president.

Mrs. Schmidt said she was doing research on Vicorian periodicals this summer when she was chosen editor. "The fact that I was actively pursuing periodicals and working with a grant was probably a deciding factor," she said.

LOOKING AHEAD to her term of office, the new editor said she plans to reinstate a notice section and will pubulish items which cannot be included in the formal, bound volumes.

"We're trying to provide a broad perspective for people to relate to these individuals," she said.

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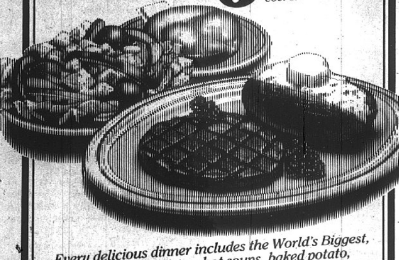

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Jail tour by school office personnel unit

The Granite City Association of Educational Office Personnel met at the Madison County jail in Edwardsville, with Major Jack Fields of the sheriff's department explaining that it was built five years ago at a cost of $4.5 million.

"The jail is a holding facility for individuals charged with committing a crime," he stated. "After being convicted, he or she is transferred to a prison."

Fields explained that the jail serves individuals aged 17 and over. After questions were asked by the members and answers given, he led a tour through the facility, explaining many areas of the jail.

The "bird cage" is an enclosed area with four bullet-proof walls. It contains electrical controls, video cameras and the sound system for the entire jail.

The group toured men's and women's sections of the jail, viewing booking areas, individual cells, infirmaries, visiting rooms, "drunk tanks," storage areas, isolation rooms, and the kitchen area.

At P-K's Restaurant, Edwardsville, Marge Burdge, treasurer, gave a report and Lucille Caban said the group's fall state conference and workshops will be held at the Marriott on Oct. 4, 5 and 6.

President Mary Hudson presided. "Bosses' night" hostess will be Georganne Georgeff. Also present were Nancy Rosales, Wanda Page, Arlene Smith, Priscilla Consiglio, Barbara Schreiber, Irene Hatscher and Barbara Hediger.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE TESTS

St. Joseph's Hospital in Alton is announcing a new day for free blood pressure screening. Effective immdiately, the free blood pressure screening offered each week by St. Joseph's will move to Tuesday afternoons.

Previously offered on Thursdays, the service will now be held on Tuesday afternoons from February 5, at the same time 1 to 3 p.m., in the same location, the Cardiovascular Health Center on the ground floor of St. Joseph's Professional Building.

Free blood pressure readings are taken each week by health professionals on a walk-in basis.

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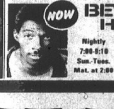

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Upcoming events

Meetings

NIEDRINGHAUS SCHOOL PTA will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at the school, 29th and State streets.

U.S. SENATOR PAUL SIMON will conduct a "town meeting" for area citizens at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, in the Madison Room on the first floor of the University Center of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

THE METRO-EAST MS SUPPORT group will meet from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Eden Church of Christ, 902 N. Second St., Edwardsville. Further information on the group to aid multiple sclerosis victims is available by calling Bernie at 345-1655.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION of Retired Federal Employees will meet at 11:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at Charlie's Restaurant.

THE 22ND DISTRICT American Legion Auxiliary mid-year meeting will be conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Waterloo Legion Home, Waterloo, Ill. A board meeting at 12:30 p.m. will precede the district meeting.

Sharing know-how

A SEMINAR ON VEGETABLE gardening will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. today, Feb. 7, at the University of Illinois Extension office, 900 Hillsboro, Edwardsville.

A GROUNDS MAINTENANCE School is planned for 9 a.m. Monday, Feb. 11, at Belleville Area College. The school is open to both homeowners and professionals. A registration fee is payable at the door. A trade show will be conducted with the program.

PIASA HEALTH CARE, 1315 Vandalia, Collinsville, is offering a parent support-group training program for parents whose children have become chemically dependent. The group will meet for eight weeks from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesdays, beginning Feb. 20 and continuing through April 10. Cost is $15 per person or $20 per couple. Those wishing to participate should contact Piasa Health Care by Friday, Feb. 8, at 345-5200.

THE AMERICAN BOTTOM ARCHAEOLOGY series presented by the Cahokia Mounds Museum Society will feature a discussion of the Woodland period at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, in the Theatre Building behind the museum. The discussion is free and open to the public.

SACRED HEART—ST. JOSEPH Catholic School will sponsor a Systematic Training Effective Parenting program (STEP) from 9:30 to 11 a.m. for nine weeks beginning Monday, Feb. 11, at the school building, 2401 Sheridan Ave. Cost is $6.95 for the handbook. Another STEP program will be offered from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for nine weeks beginning Tuesday, Feb. 12. A STEP and STEP Teen Program is being offered at the same time on Tuesday. For information on these programs, interested persons may call 876-0716.

On stage

THE SECOND CONCERT OF the Granite City High School band will be presented at 8 p.m. today, Feb. 7, in the high school auditorium. Admission to the concert can be either through season tickets or by paying 75 cents for adults and 35 cents for children at the door.

BALLET, JAZZ, MODERN and musical theater styles of dancing are represented on the 12-number program for "Dance: In Concert," the major annual dance event of the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Performances will be at 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 7 through 9, in the Communications Building theater. Free parking is available behind the Communications Building on evenings of performances. For tickets, reservations and other information, interested persons may call 1-692-2773.

ROBERT SCHIEBER will give a faculty recital on the viola in Lovejoy Library auditorium at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville at 8:15 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8.

A JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH 300th Birthday Celebration is set for 8:15 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, in the Conference Center of the Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville University Center. Tickets for the concert are $4 per person and $3 for students and senior citizens.

SINGER ROSEMARY CLOONEY and conductor Mitch Miller will team up with the Saint Louis Symphony Orchestra for Pops at Powell Symphony Hall performances honoring "Great Ladies in Music" at 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, and at 3 and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10. Tickets are priced from $7 to $21 each. A discounted rate of 25 percent off the regular ticket price is available to groups of 20 or more. Interested persons may call 1-314-533-2500, extension 293, for group information, and 1-314-534-1700 for regular information.

Getting active

AN ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING for women interested in playing in the Granite City Park District's league softball program will be conducted at 7 p.m. today, Feb. 7, in the Harold Brown Recreation Center, Amos and Franklin avenues. Further information is available by calling 877-3059.

Culinary fare

THE SOUTHERN ILLINOIS Builders' Association (SIBA) will sponsor a dinner meeting and program beginning at 7:30 p.m. today, Feb. 7. The price of the program—including admission to exhibits at the Products Fair and the dinner—is $15. There will be a cash bar. For further information or reservations, interested persons may contact the SIBA office at 1-397-1400.

A VALENTINE SPAGHETTI DINNER will be hosted by the Youth for Christ group of Word of Life Tabernacle, 1200 Meridian Ave., at 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, in the church fellowship hall. An entertainment program will be presented at 5:15 p.m. in the church. Tickets costing $1.25 for children age 3 through 9, $2 for children age 10 to 12, and $2.75 for persons 13 and older will be sold at the door.

COD OR CATFISH FILLETS will be available at Ss. Cyril and Methody Eastern Orthodox Church, 4770 Maryville Road. The dinner, served from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, includes slaw, french fries or fahsool beans, dessert and coffee for $3.50. Sandwiches are $2 and carryouts are available.

ST. ELIZABETH CUB SCOUT Pack 13 will sponsor its fifth annual chili supper from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, in the church cafeteria, 2300 Pontoon Road. The dinner will include homemade chili and chili-mac, hotdogs, desserts and drinks. Cost is $2.75 for "all you can eat" of the chili and chili-mac. Hotdogs, dessert and drinks may be purchase separately.

A CHICKEN AND BEER DANCE will be hosted by the Granite City High School Booster Club beginning at 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, in the Knights of Columbus Hall. Music will be provided by Art Levelle and the Starlighters. Admission is $5, and set-ups will be available. Tickets may be purchased at the door or by contacting Candy Carden at 931-5609.

THE MADISON COUNTY SOIL and Water Conservation District's annual dinner meeting is slated for Saturday, Feb. 9, at St. Peter's Lutheran School in Prairietown, Ill. Registration will begin at 6:30 p.m. A beef and ham dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Following the dinner, there will be a short business meeting and election of directors. Tickets are $6 and can be purchased from any of the district directors or by contacting the Soil and Water Conservation District Office at 1-656-5166.

Open houses

ST. ELIZABETH MEDICAL CENTER'S Surgette unit will be open to the public from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, for demonstrations and to provide information about the unit. Also featured will be free tests, balloons and refreshments. All SEMC parking lots will be open Sunday for free visitor parking.

THE SCHOOL OF NURSING at Missouri Baptist Hospital will present a conference at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, for persons interested in nursing as a career. The open house will be at the School of Nursing on the hospital campus, 3015 N. Ballas Road, St. Louis. For further information, students may call Delilah Canning or Clark Triplett at 1-314-569-5193.

Other events

AN EXHIBITION OF ARTWORK created by eight Granite City High School students will continue through Sunday, Feb. 10 at Washington University School of Fine Arts. The artwork is displayed in the Bixby Gallery, second floor of Bixby Hall. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

SATURDAY, FEB. 9, will be Niedringhaus School Night during the Granite City vs. Collinsville High School basketball game. The game begins at 8 p.m. Students of Niedringhaus School will be admitted free, and a special section of seats will be provided for those students. Further information is available by calling 451-6131.

THE SOUTHWEST ILLINOIS AUDUBON Society will host an outing for an eagle census on Saturday, Feb. 9. Those interested in attending are to dress warmly, bring a brown-bag lunch and meet at the levee south of the Jefferson Barracks bridge approach at 9 a.m. The group will end its tour at Fort Chartres, where they will eat lunch. Anyone interested in attending is advised to call 931-1352.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS will be given at Granite City High School in May at a cost of $49 per test, payable in two installments—$25 must be paid at the time of registration (deadline Monday, Feb. 11). Fees should be paid to the guidance secretary at the high school. Additional information available from Sonya Adkerson, pupil personnel services coordinator at Granite City High School.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will host a dance beginning at 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the K of C Hall, 4225 Old Alton Road. A variety of music will be provided by "Nighthawks," and the cost is $2 per person.

Schools to meet with Anchorage residents

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

Final approval was given by the Granite City Board of Education Tuesday night to lease the unused Lake Elementary School as the new site of the southern division of Madison County's Educational Therapy Center (ETC).

Supt. Frank L. Kraus said he and Special Education Director Steve Balen will meet with elderly residents of The Anchorage this month to explain the daytime treatment and educational center and allay fears about how it will affect the Lake area neighborhood.

"THERE'S NO REASON" for anyone to fear the operation of the center for behaviorally disordered students, Kraus said in stressing the district's willingness to present full details of the instructional program to the public.

The contract for March 1, 1985, to June 30, 1986, calls for ETC to operate, repair and maintain the campus and school, with the exception of a 14-room area of the building to be utilized by School District Nine for storage purposes.

Rent will be $1,250 a month, or $20,000 for the 16 months. The contract says ETC cannot use any part for a residential program or overnight stays by students.

LIABILITY INSURANCE of $300,000 per person and $1 million per incident will be provided by ETC, and District Nine will have $2 million insurance. Contract renewals are foreseen, but either party can terminate the lease agreement with 90 days' notice.

Among those working out the details were Kraus, Balen, Finance Director Norman Owca and School Attorney William Schooley.

The basic decision to lease the Lake building, 3201 E. 23rd St., was made by the board in a 7-0 vote Feb. 1.

SUPPORTING the lease plan at a public hearing were letters read by Balen from the police chiefs of East Alton and Fairmont City, where ETC programs have been conducted. Both said ETC created no problems in the surrounding neighborhoods.

East Alton neighbors also endorsed the northern area center.

Annual funding sources are about $100,000 from the Illinois Department of Mental Health, $100,000 from the federal government, $100,000 in state education funds and $60,000 from a special state grant, Balen said. Some local tuition dollars are paid by school districts.

DURING A QUESTION period at last week's hearing, Board Member Monroe Worthen noted that the largest age group among the 41 students to be assigned to Lake is 15 years.

Member Thomas Miofsky was told that a typical ETC pupil might spend four or five years in the program. Before a student returns to a regular classroom, he or she must attain the highest of the program's four levels.

ETC youngsters' main problem is behavior, in contrast to the truancy that leads to most of the assignments to Coordinated Youth Service's alternative school, it was reported.

Balen told Board Secretary Alan Crider that the approach has changed much in the past six years.

HE SAID DR. JARED Balmer, ETC director on the staff of Madison County School Supt. Harold E. "Gene" Briggs, developed treatment for pupils' emotional and behavior problems. Various ETC faculty members, meanwhile, formulated teaching methods and activity procedures.

President Kelly Hogan was told that the move from the Canteen School of Collinsville to Lake will provide gymnasium facilities enabling students to release pent-up energy which, in a conventional classroom setting, might disrupt the learning process. Canteen has no gym.

ETC children receive credits which convert to regular school credits. Regular textbooks are used, and many of the students ultimately graduate from high school.

AUDIENCE MEMBERS said the existing ETC differs markedly from the initial center at the former Stallings School here in 1979. They added that the current daytime program is more acceptable to senior citizens than the combination day program and 24-hour housing proposed for Lake a year ago.

Lake is relatively isolated, it was pointed out. If ETC children were sent instead to now-idle Logan School, they might be harassed by students from the adjacent Prather Elementary School, citizens said.

Balen said he felt there would be no problem at either site. Board Member David Partney commented that ETC and regular students play together after each day's classes end.

THERE ARE SIX ETC programs in Illinois, Madison County being the only one south of Chicago, the hearing's discussion showed; educators from elsewhere visit often to observe local ETC methods.

Hogan said he visited the Canteen ETC on the day of the public hearing and found the campus was quieter than some in Granite City. He described the pupils as cooperative.

Supt. Kraus and Balen pointed out that Lake is closer than Logan to other communities sending students to the ETC, such as Collinsville and Edwardsville.

WITHOUT THE MOVE to Granite City, Balen said, the ETC would have had to add a second bus—costing $60 to $100 a day—to reduce transportation time each way from 90 to 60 minutes. Four additional local students are to be assigned to the ETC when it opens here.

ETC staff members provide counseling for parents, in the belief that the parents are "the most significant factor in training a child." Crider was told that ETC teachers would have no local tenure because they are on the staff of the county's educational service region.

First Ward Alderman Casmer Skubish said icy weather limited attendance at the hearing. Other aldermen present were Phillip Miller, Sharon Perjak, Lloyd Bailey and Jacob Varadian.

MILLER PRAISED Lake as a potential site and Mrs. Perjak said, "You have an empty school at Lake, sitting out in a field all by itself; we encourage you to put this needed program into Lake School."

Relating that many elderly residents still had concerns about the therapy center, Skubish said the board could reschedule the hearing "if you would like to see a hall full of people." The Feb. 1 hearing took place in the Coolidge Junior High School cafeteria.

Miofsky responded that the board had obtained ideas from Realtors, as Skubish later suggested be done, but that the school district is "not in the business of proposing or promoting nursing homes."

PRES. HOGAN told the gathering, "We as a board cannot dictate to anyone buying a building that it be used for a particular purpose. Our responsibility is education, not only of average students but the ETC and special education.

"We're trying to offer education for all students of the community. Of course, I'm not saying we shouldn't work with the other bodies of government."

A woman said she opposed the previous overnight center but believes the district should provide space for daytime classes. "I have a child with behavioral disorders," she added.

TREAS. PARTNEY and Member Dewey Melton said there is no way the board would authorize an overnight center now that it is aware of neighbors' viewpoints. There already is a boys' 24-hour center elsewhere in the county, Balen noted.

Lee Thomas said "scare tactics" were used a year ago when petitions were circulated to oppose a 24-hour residential program.

When Worthen asked for comments from those familiar with ETC, a mother described the center and the students' progress as "fantastic." She said citizens need have no more worry about ETC pupils than any other students.

A SCHOOL GIRL said she has been helped greatly by ETC and has developed pride in her abilities. She added that, when enrolled at Coolidge previously, she was "always in the principal's office for running in the halls" or other behavior.

Mrs. Shirley Stoll told of touring a therapy center and being impressed by "the care of the children and the overall professionalism of the staff.

"I left there wishing we had more schools like the ETC. We should have alternate schools for all the students who need special help. A former student of mine, whenever she writes to me, always points out how her attitude has changed toward the positive."

Partney noted that a wing of Lake School is air-conditioned, "beneficial to a summer ETC program."

WORTHEN TOLD the group that half the ETC enrollment is from the local community, and said many Quad-City youngsters attend other kinds of special classes in a number of Madison County cities.

Mrs. Karen Melton remarked, "If we don't give these young people a place to better themselves, the judicial system is not likely to give them one, either."

Mack Johnson stressed that the board must consider "what is best for the students."

MIOFSKY COMMENTED that the board had decided at an earlier session to accommodate the ETC in District Nine and that the only matter yet to be settled was which building.

The motion to lease Lake was voiced by Dewey Melton and seconded by Mrs. Ruth Lahr.

Hogan said information and opinions presented at the hearing had greatly helped the board in reaching its affirmative decision.

Bids for farming federal land sought

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District, is seeking bids for the lease of several agricultural parcels of federal land along the Chain of Rocks Canal in Granite City and at the Locks 26 replacement project in Alton.

Sealed bids for leasing of the properties will be accepted until 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 12. Additional details are available from Dennis Hogan at 1-314-263-5680. Bid inquiries also may be mailed to the U.S. Army Engineer District, St. Louis, Attention LMSRE-M, 210 Tucker Blvd. North, St. Louis, Mo., 63101-1986.

CHRISTINA MEINK COMPLETES DIESEL SCHOOL

Christina Meink, daughter of Howard and Joyce Powell of Granite City, recently graduated from the diesel department of ABC Technical and Trade School, Tucson, Ariz. While at ABC Tech, she studied all aspects of diesel engine repair, including fuel systems, engine assembly and disassembly hydraulics and pneumatics, power train, refrigeration and electrical.

Miss Meink was awarded the Most Effective Student Award and the Achievement Award for maintaining a grade point average of 90 to 100 percent. These awards are given only on the recommendation of the department head.

She began her career working for Superior Auto and Diesel as a Diesel Mechanic.

Labor Council observes AFL-CIO's anniversary

The Tri-Cities Trades and Labor Council yesterday observed the 26th anniversary of the merging of the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations into the AFL-CIO on Feb. 9, 1959.

Coffee and sandwiches were served in the Labor Temple as members of several crafts unions viewed the Tri-Cities AFL-CIO charter, which was personally delivered to Granite City from Chicago by Daniel Healey, AFL-CIO district director, according to Edwin F.J. Reiske, president of the Tri-City Trades and Labor Council

Charterers of the local AFL-CIO chapter still alive are: Reiske, with the Steelworkers and Machinists; Ted Moran of the Steelworkers; Roy Logan of the Patternmakers and Bill Webb and Alex Skubish of the Steelworkers.

Deceased charterers are Fred Clark of the Laborers and Fred Plebanek of the Steelworkers, Reiske said.

He recalled that the Tri-Cities Council was one of the last ones to be chartered in the state, and only after two years of negotiations. Bill Webb was president of the old CIO here and Bob Gibson (now president of the Illinois AFL-CIO) was secretary of the local group. Reiske headed the AFL and there was considerable debate over who should head the combined organization.

Reiske eventually was selected president of the AFL-CIO here.

During the observance yesterday, the Executive Board of the Labor Council met and discussed plans for this year's Labor Day Parade in Granite City.

They also named members of a committee to screen candidates for city offices.

Refunds possible for excess taxes

A person who works for more than one employer during the course of a year may have more Social Security taxes withheld than are required by law, Oliver Holmes, Social Security manager in East Saint Louis, explains.

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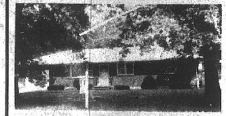

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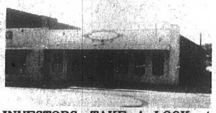

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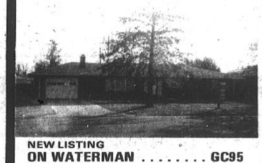

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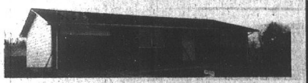

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1531 CLARK: Price reduced. Beautiful brick ranch with three bedrooms, formal dining room, family room and 4th bedroom in finished basement. Nothing to do here but move in.

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9.5 ACRES: Located south of Roxana on Oldenburg Road. 300' front by 1,347' deep. Possible trailer site. $2,000 per acre.

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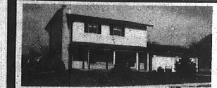

BARGAIN IN MARYLAND PLACE! This lovely 2-story, 6-year-old brick. Beautiful, large built-in kitchen with range, dishwasher, microwave, masonry fireplace in living room, family room, 2-car attached garage, two covered patios, storage, ETC., ETC.

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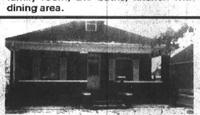
3-BEDROOM BRICK RANCH, all the built-ins, formal dining room, family room, full basement and 2-car garage. 1800 sq. ft. and price reduced. Call today.

FROHARDT SCHOOL DISTRICT and assumable loan. One block from school. Close to shopping and bus line. Three bedrooms, 2-car garage, new roof, new range.



VETERANS! NO MONEY DOWN. Maintenance free brick ranch. Three bedrooms, dry basement, central air, big living room, eat-in kitchen with lots of cabinets. Above-ground pool, 1-car garage, aluminum soffitt.

TWO YEARS OLD! 1680 square feet on one level. Wall to wall carpeting. Built-in side by side refrigerator, double oven, dishwasher, built-in hutch in dining room woodburning fireplace in living room. Two full baths, three bedrooms, central air. Nothing to do but move in. Assumable loan.

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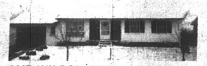
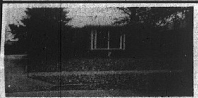


1117 WILSON PARK LANE: Really nice 3-bedroom home. Energy efficient air conditioner, new last summer, extra insulation, new thermal front door, low utility bills, garage door opener, piano and 27x4 above-ground pool.

CORNER LOT: Three bedrooms, attached garage, remodeled, new roof, central air. ONLY $32,000.



TOP AREA — BOTTOM PRICE: Nice brick home on tree lined street in Maryland Place. New kitchen, finished basement, woodburning fireplace, two baths, fenced yard and screend porch. Priced to sell. 2216 Waterman.

EXTRA NICE FAMILY ROOM. Super park area location. Three bedrooms, 1½ baths, full basement, garage, all built-in country kitchen. Super clean and ready to move in. A must to see. $62,900.

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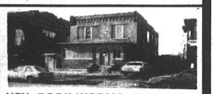
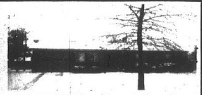
OWNER SAYS SELL! This 2-bedroom 1981 Fleetwood Mobile Home is priced to sell at less than $10,500. Call today.



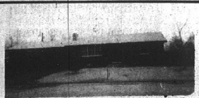
HEY, BOOK WORMS this one's for you. 2-story brick could be ideal location for that business you wanted to start. Could also be triplex. Located by the library downtown. Call now.

3933 GASLIGHT — Investors 10% interest 10% C.D. Good cash flow.

2321 E. 23RD. STREET — Under $20,000. Call to see.

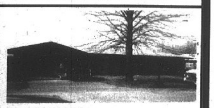


2344 O'HARE — New listing. Good neighborhood. Be the first to see.



OWNER TRANSFERRED and needs to sell this lovely 7-room, 3-bedroom brick home with an almost finished 4th bedroom suite (20x26) addition, basement has beautiful 30x16 family room with wet bar and woodburning fireplace, 2-car garage, lovely patio. All for $62,900.

NICE LOCATION: St. Margaret Mary's Parish, six rooms, three bedrooms, basement, garage, fenced yard. LOW $40's.



IN ARLINGTON: Lovely 5-room 3-bedroom brick home. Home has large master bedroom with additional ¾ bath and two double closets, 2-car garage and extra large 100x150-ft. lot. Priced right — in mid $50's. CALL TODAY!

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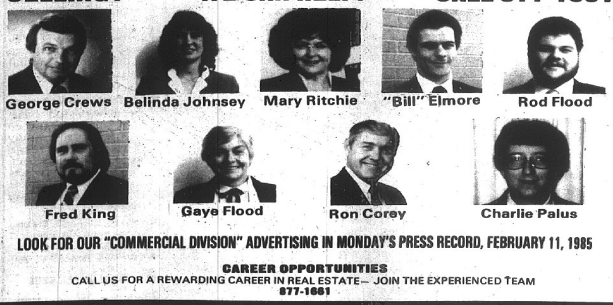

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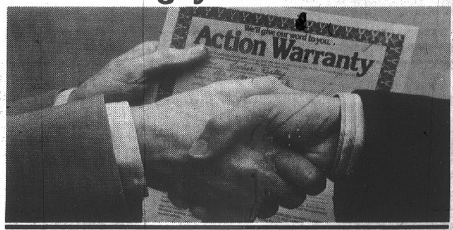

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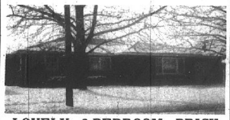

LOVELY 3-BEDROOM BRICK HOME on 75x125-ft. lot. Living room, dining room and large den in basement. Complete built-in kitchen, full basement, 1-car detached garage. Very nice patio with privacy fence. Home in excellent condition.

OWNER SEZ "SELL": Loan assumption — Owner has small equity in this large 3-bedroom brick, with 1¼ baths, full basement, w/w carpeting, attached garage and many more extras.

NICE LOCATION: 3-bedroom home near Parkview School. Central air — patio, fenced yard and plenty of storage space.

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WHAT MORE DO YOU WANT? This immaculate 3-bedroom brick has den with woodburning fireplace. Living room, dining room and kitchen with all built-ins and oak cabinets. Two full baths, finished basement, 2-car attached garage with auto opener, burglar alarm, attic fan and covered patio. Call now for showing.

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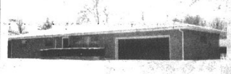

OWNER TRANSFERRED: This lovely 3-bedroom brick with 1¾ baths and full basement is the best bargain in town. Nothing like it for $49,900.

CORNER LOT: 4-bedroom ranch style home in desirable neighborhood. Living room, formal dining room, lovely kitchen and lots of like new wall and base cabinets. Two full baths, full basement and 2-car attached garage. Priced in the low $50.s

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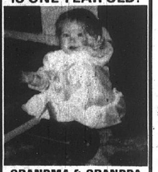

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WE, THE family of STEVE SALTICH SR. wish to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation to all our relatives, friends, neighbors and organizations for their acts of love and sympathy. This includes the many masses, floral tributes, food and donations to Madison County Hospice, the American Cancer Society, the Sacred Heart Church Building Fund and donations which will be used for a memorial at the Knights of Columbus Home. Special thanks to Rev. Robert Heinz and Sacred Heart Catholic Church, members of Knights of Columbus Council 1098, the Granite City Fire Department Paramedics, the Granite City Police Department, the staffs of St. Elizabeth's Hospital and Barnes Hospital, Drs. Lay, Walz and Safdar, Dr. George Wilkins, Mary Cromer, Ed Wernere, Ed Besserman and the entire staff of Thomas Mortuary, Vasil Eftimoff and Leon Streif and Charles Hester. A loving thank you is give to Rudy Hoffek for his endless help and support. 31 2 7

THE FAMILY of EUTHER TIDWELL want's to thank neighbors, friends, and relatives, also Mercer's Mortuary for the help and understanding in the time we needed it most. 31 2 7

Cards of Thanks 31

OPEN LETTER:

My wife Kathy, my children and I wish to sincerely thank our neighbors, and our many friends that have helped us so much since our home was totally destroyed by fire on January 31.

A very special thanks must go to my dear and long time friends Bill and Jeanie Weidner who have made a home available to us.

Both John Bellcoff and Tom Gorden have also been helping us in many ways and we thank them.

Again our sincere thanks to everyone for their help and prayers for our family.

God bless you all,

Danny & Kathy Poston

452-2336

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IN LOVING memory of FRED F. RICE, passed away Feb. 7, 1981. — Sadly missed by Children, Grandchildren and Great-grandchildren. 32 2 7

IN LOVING memory of PHILLIP BARR JR., Feb. 4, 1977. Always loved and remembered. — Audrey Weidner, grandmother. 32 1 7

IN MEMORY of our daughter, AMANDA N. LOWE who passed away Feb. 9, 1979. — Sadly missed by Mother, Father, Sister and Brother. 32 2 7

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In The Circuit Court
For The
3rd Judicial Circuit
Madison County -
Edwardsville, Illinois
The Lomas &
Nettleton Company,
PLAINTIFF,)
-vs-
Emery E. Ackerman,
AND UNKNOWN OWNERS
DEFENDANTS.)
No. 85-CH-20
SHERIFF'S NO. NONE

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given you, Emery E. Ackerman, and UNKNOWN OWNERS.

Defendants in the above entitled suit, that the said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Madison County, Chancery Division, by the said Plaintiff against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises descried as follows, to-wit:

Lot 11 in Block 15 in Community Heights, Ill., Subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois in Plat Book 15 Page 12.

Common Address: 3032 Buxton Avenue, Granite City, Illinois 62040 and which said Mortgage was made by Emery E. Ackerman, Mortgagors, to The Lomas And Nettleton Company as Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Madison County, Illinois, document number 2324512.

And for other relief; that summons was only issued out of the said Court against you as provided by law, and that the suit is now pending.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Madison County, Chancery Division, in the City at Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before the 11th day of March, 1985, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

Dated, Edwardsville, Illinois, January 28th, 1985.

Willard V. Portell,
Clerk

SHAPIRO & KREISMAN, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
1535 Lake Cook Road
Northbrook,
Illinois 60052
312/564-9000
No. 61 33 1 31; 2 7 14

In The Circuit Court
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County,
Illinois
ESTATE OF
RUDOLPH SUCICH,
Deceased.)
No. 85-P-71

NOTICE

NOTICE is given of the death of Rudolph Sucich, of Madison, Illinois.

FURTHER NOTICE is given that a Petition for Admission of Will and Distribution of the Estate on Summary Administration was filed in the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County, Illinois, on or about January 28, 1985.

A hearing on the Petition will be held in the Probate Court of the Third Judicial Circuit, Edwardsville, Madison County, Illinois, at the following time, date and place:

9:00 a.m., Monday, March 4, 1985, Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, Edwardsville, Illinois.

John T. Papa
Attorney for
Sharon Keeton
1326 Niedringhaus
Avenue
Granite City, IL.
452-1323
No. 59 33 1 31; 2 7 14

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE

State of Illinois)
)SS
County of Madison)
In the Circuit Court
For The
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County,
Illinois
WESTAMERICA
MORGAGE COMPANY,
Plaintiff,)
vs.
PATRICIA J.
GERVAIS,
et al
Defendants.)
IN CHANCERY
General No. 84 CH 237

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decree heretofore entered by said Court in the above entitled cause, JONATHAN ISBELL, Associate Judge of the Circuit Court will on Friday, the 1st day of March A.D. 1985, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A.M. (Local Time), Court House, in the City of Edwardsville said County, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash all and singular, the following described premises and real estate in said decree mentioned, situated in the County of Madison and State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said decree, to-wit:

Lot 10 and the Southwest 5 feet of Lot 9 in Block 7 Granite Place, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 9 Page 5, in Madison County, Illinois.

Commonly known as: 2310 Grand Avenue, Granite City, IL. 62040

ADDRESS OR LOCATION OF PROPERTY: together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

DATED, Edwardsville, Illinois, this 16th day of January A.D. 1985.

Attorney for Plaintiff
CODILIS AND
ASSOCIATES
Attorneys at Law
1 S. 375 Summit
Avenue, #2A
Oakbrook Terrace,
Illinois 60181
(312) 629-8444
No. 49 33 1 24 31; 2 7

PUBLICATION NOTICE

In The Circuit Court
Of The
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County,
Illinois
COMMUNITY FEDERAL
SAVINGS & LOAN,
an association,
Plaintiff,)vs.
WILLIAM D. WRIGHT,
et al,
Defendant(s).)
No. 85-CH-32

Notice is hereby given you, William D. Wright and "Unknown Owners", that suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending against you wherein plaintiff seeks to foreclose a certain mortgage on the premises described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 72 and 73 in Block 24 in Knox and Smith's Third Addition to Venice according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 6 Page 47, in Madison County, Illinois.

and you are further notified that unless on or before the 11th day of March, 1985, you shall appear and defend in said suit, default judgment may be entered against you on the day following or thereafter.

/s/ WILLARD V.
PORTELL
Clerk of the Circuit Court
Madison County, Illinois
FRANK T. PLATTNER
Attorney for Plaintiff
6600 West Main Street
Belleville, Illinois 62223
Telephone: 618-397-6600
No. 72 33 2 7 14 21

BID NOTICE

The Board of Education of Community Unit School District No. 9, 20th and Adams Streets, Granite City, Illinois, is requesting sealed bids on the following items of supply and equipment. Detailed information and specifications may be obtained at the Board of Education, 20th and Adams, Granite City, Illinois 62040. Bids are due in the office of the Board of Education, 20th and Adams, Granite City, Illinois 62040, no later than 2:00 P.M. on dates shown below. A public bid opening will be held at such time and place.

FEBRUARY 18, 1985
Piano Tuning

/S/ Alan Crider
No. 71 33 2 7

NOTICE OF SALE

In The Circuit Court
Of The
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County,
Illinois
FLEET MORTGAGE
CORPORATION,
a corporation,
Plaintiff,)
vs.
WALTER W. MARSH,
et al,
Defendants.)
No. 84-CH-291

Under and by virtue of the decree of said court, made and entered in the above action on the 7th day of January, 1985, I, the undersigned, will on the 4th day of March, 1985, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A.M., in Courtroom No. 4 of the Courthouse of Madison County, in Edwardsville, Illinois, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot 163 in Block 6 of WESTMOOR PLACE, a Subdivision as the same appears in Plat Book 14 Page 28 in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois. Situated in the County of Madison and State of Illinois.

Said sale to commence at 11:00 A.M. on the 4th day of March, 1985.

Terms of Sale: CASH. At said sale I will give to the purchaser or purchasers a certificate in writing, describing the lands and tenements purchased and the sum paid therefor, and at the expiration of six (6) months from March 4, 1985, the holder thereof will be entitled to a deed for said premises, unless redeemed according to law.

Dated at Edwardsville, Illinois, this 7th day of January, 1985.

/s/ Jonathan Isbell
Associate Judge
of the Circuit Court
Madison County,
Illinois
FRANK T. PLATTNER
Atorney for Plaintiff
6600 West Main Street
Belleville, IL. 62223
Telephone: 618-397-6600
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Circuit Court
Of The
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County, Illinois
ESTATE OF
LAURA B. BENSON
Deceased)
No. 85-P-32

Notice is given of the death of Laura B. Benson.

Letters of office were issued on January 11, 1985 to Clifford Johnson, 3028 Wayne Avenue, Granite City, Illinois as Executor whose attorney is Lawrence T. Hartman, 1326 Niedringhaus Avenue, Granite City, Illinois.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the clerk of court, Madison County Courthouse, Edwardsville, Illinois, 62025, or with the representative, or both, within 6 months from date of issuance of letters; and any claim not so filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1985.

Willard V. Portell
Circuit Clerk
Lawrence T. Hartmen
Attorney For Executor
1326 Niedringhaus
Avenue
Granite City, IL. 62040
(618) 452-1323
No. 51 33 1 24 31; 2 7

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE

State of Illinois)
)SS
County of Madison)
In the Circuit Court
For The
Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County,
Illinois
WESTAMERICA
MORGAGE COMPANY,
Plaintiff,)
vs.
THOMAS E. POST,
et al
Defendants.)
IN CHANCERY
General No. 84 CH 228

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decree heretofore entered by said Court in the above entitled cause, JONATHAN ISBELL, Associate Judge of the Circuit Court will on Friday, the 1st day of March A.D. 1985, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A.M. (Local Time), Court House, in the City of Edwardsville said County, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash all and singular, the following described premises and real estate in said decree mentioned, situated in the County of Madison and State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said decree, to-wit:

Lot 18 in Block "J" in Original Plat of Madison as shown on the Plat thereof recorded in the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois in Plat Book 5 Page 21, situate in the County of Madison and State of Illinois.

Commonly known as: 1512 Fourth Street, Madison, IL. 62060

ADDRESS OR LOCATION OF PROPERTY: together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

DATED, Edwardsville, Illinois, this 16th day of January A.D. 1985.

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CODILIS AND
ASSOCIATES
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Tax tips

Free tax assistance is available through VITA, the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program, sponsored by the Internal Revenue Service.

VITA is designed to help low-income, elderly, non-English speaking and handicapped taxpayers fill out Forms 1040EZ, 1040A and a basic Form 1040. Volunteers also alert taxpayers to the special credits and deductions for which they may be eligible, such as the child care and earned income credits, the tax credit for the elderly and the totally disabled, and itemized deductions.

Complicated tax issues such as capital gains, business expenses and the like are not covered at VITA centers, according to the IRS.

A taxpayer coming to the VITA center should bring this year's tax package, usually recieved through the mail, wage and earnings statements (Forms W-2) received from employers, interest statements from banks (Forms 1099), a copy of last year's tax return if available, and any other relevant information concerning income and expenses.

To find the location of the VITA center nearest you, call the IRS tax information number listed in local telephone directories.

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Taxpayers may take a credit of up to $50 ($100 on a joint return) for half the political contributions you made during the year, the IRS says.

However, be sure that you have a written receipt to prove your contributions Cancelled checks will in most cases meet this requirement. You also may be required to prove that you made your contribution to a qualified political candidate, campaign committee, newsletter fund, or a national political party or that the purpose of the payment was to make a political or newsletter fund contribution.

For more information on political contributions write or call the IRS for a copy of their free Publication 535, Business Expenses and Publication 585, Voluntary Tax Methods to help Finance Political Campaigns.

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If you use a part of your home regularly and exclusively for business purposes, you may deduct a part of the operating and depreciation expenses on your home as an itemized deduction, the Internal Revenue says.

If you are an outside salesperson or if your employer reimburses you for these expenses and you include the reimbursement in income, you may deduct the expenses as an adjustment to gross income.

For additional information, taxpayers can order the free IRS Publication 587, Business Use of Your Home, using the hand order form in the tax package.

MADISON IMPROVEMENT PARTY candidates who will run for city offices in Madison April 2, are, front row from the left: Lenora Lockett for Fourth Ward alderman; Tom Gordon for mayor and Ida Dant for Third Ward alderman. In the back row are: Jim Riskovsky for Second Ward alderman; Andy Economy, candidate for First Ward alderman; Holbert Hoekstra for city treasurer and Richard Harper for city clerk.

Work on Cahokia plant delayed

By SUSANNE INDELICATO
of the Press-Record

The Metro-East Sanitary District (MESD) Board has delayed the awarding of bids to renovate the Cahokia Sewage Treatment Plant, after learning that Sauget Regional Treatment Plant officials have begun renovating the plant themselves.

An agreement to turn the operation of the Cahokia plant over to Sauget was made about a year ago, according to MESD Executive Director Walter "Shang" Greathouse. The agreement allows Sauget to take over ownership of the plant, free of charge, whenever Sauget officials desire. Those officials set a target date of December 1985.

SAUGET OFFICIALS plan to incorporate the plant into a $100 million sewage treatment system being constructed there.

Recently, Greathouse has learned, Sauget officials made preparations to install a bar screen at the Cahokia plant—one of the renovations the MESD was ordered to perform by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Last month, MESD opened two bids to perform the renovations at the plant. A bid of $34,127 was received from Ace Pipe Cleaning of Kansas City. Kelly Hogan Plumbing Company submitted a bid of $38,810.

BUT MESD BOARD members have postponed the awarding of the bid on the grounds that much of the work specified in the plans may be performed by Sauget.

Meanwhile, MESD consulting engineers, Hurst-Rosche Engineers, Inc., have reported that renovations to the Lansdowne Sewage Treatment Plant are almost complete. The cleaning of the equipment at the plant is complete, while five items involving repair and maintenance remain. Those items, they engineers stated, involve costs that are "minimal and may be performed by staff labor."

The EPA ordered MESD last May to clean, repair and maintain certain parts and equipment at the Cahokia and Lansdowne Sewage Treatment Plants after an engineer's report indicated that the plants needed renovation and improved maintenance.

ACE PIPE CLEANING, Inc., was contracted to do the work on the Lansdowne Plant.

The work is required, Greathouse said, so that the Lansdowne plant may be linked with the Granite City Regional Treatment Plant, scheduled to begin operation in 1986.

Both the Lansdowne and Cahokia plants provide primary sewage treatment, while the regional plant will provide secondary treatment.

FIGHT RESULTS IN ARRESTS

Two Madison men were arrested at 3:50 p.m. Monday, after they were allegedy involved in a fight at 1425 Third St., Madison. Daniel Wayne Thompson, 25, of 1402a Madison Ave., was charged with disorderly conduct. Dale Wayne Endicott, 21, of 1419 Third St., Madison, was charged with disorderly conduct and criminal damage to property. Both men were released on notices to appear in court.

Cable TV service to South Venice expanded

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

South-Western Cable TV, Ltd., is rectifying an oversight in its original calculations of which Venice areas are scheduled to get cable television and will expand its construction project to provide service to residents living near Venice-Lincoln Technical School on South Fourth Street.

In a related matter, Lon Carruth, South-Western Cable TV general manager, also confirmed that the company will not be seeking increases for any of its cable services to Venice in the foreseeable future.

Letters pertaining to both aspects of the installation of cable television in Venice were read by Mayor Tyrone Echols at Tuesday night's meeting of the Venice City Council.

The cable company's general manager stated, "It appears that through an oversight on our part, we overlooked an area of the city out (on) Highway 3 near the Lincoln School area. There are 21 potential subscribers in the area and, of course, the school itself.

"We have set the wheels in motion to conclude this portion of the Venice construction and it should be completed within 30 days, weather permitting," Carruth said.

In a Jan. 31 letter, the general manager notified the council of the company's intent..."To continue our free installation policy in Venice for new subscribers until Feb. 28.

"This will permit all of the residents of Venice to take advantage of the free installation offer."

Questions regarding what length of time cable TV hook-up would be available to prospective subscribers on a free installation basis have surfaced at earlier council meetings.

Fourth Ward Alderman Charles Haynes noted that the firm still is installing cable in the housing complex area.

Mayor Echols commented, "They (South-Western) haven't got around to everybody as yet and are still signing up people.

"I would recommend that anyone who is interested in getting cable service should try to sign up ahead of time," he added.

"I don't think there will be any problem for the people in South Venice (free installation) with it being their (South-Western Cable's) oversight," the mayor said in response to a question from Third Ward Alderman John Ervin.

Carruth also advised the aldermen that two additional channels in the basic service lineup will be available to Venice residents, including C-Span and the Eternal Word Television Network.

"These new channels will be added by March 1. In addition, a premium channel guide will be provided free to all of our premium channel subscribers starting in April," the cable TV general manager stated.

A question concerning reports of cable television lines "running all over people's yards and in the alleys" was asked by Building Inspector Joe Brooks.

Fourth Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr. said he questioned South-Western Cable about the exposed lines and was advised that they will be placed in the ground when the weather breaks.

Alderman Ervin further explained that the firm could not get permission to hook the cable to certain utility poles and, in these instances, the cable was to be installed underground, but the ground is frozen.

LUCKY PASSENGER. Diane Schneider, second from right, is recognized as Bi-State Development Agency's 25 millionth passenger on the Bi-State bus system. Congratulating her are, from left: General Manager of Transit Michael Setzer; Mrs. Wiley Cosey; bus operator Wiley Cosey and Bi-State Board of Directors Chairman Carl Mathias.

Bi-State honors 25 millionth rider

Diane Schneider, Bi-State's honorary 25 millionth passenger, was recently recognized at a ceremony at the Bi-State Development Agency headquarters building, 707 N. First St., St. Louis.

Her name was drawn from among several thousand bus riders who had mailed in drawing forms supplied aboard buses. The drawing was to select the designated 25 millionth passenger to board a Bi-State bus since July 1, 1984, the beginning of Bi-State's fiscal year.

"We conducted this drawing to thank our passengers in a symbolic way for their patronage," said Carl Mathias, chairman of Bi-State's Board of Commissioners, "and to call attention to the fact that ridership on Bi-State buses is increasing after four years of decline. We have carried nearly 2 million more people this year than one year ago at this time, an increase of over 8 percent."

Mathias presented the winner with six-months free bus transportation; $50 gift certificates from Arby's, Famous Brand Shoes, Inc., Central Hardware and Crestwood Plaza; weekend lodging for two at Marriott's Tan-Tar-A Resort at Lake of the Ozarks and tickets to a Cardinal baseball game.

"I ride the bus every day to and from work," said Diane Schneider, a legal secretary at the St. Louis law firm of Guilfoil, Petzall and Shoemake. "Six months of free bus service will come in handy."

Wiley Cosey of Berkeley, the bus operator whose name was indicated on the recipient's winning entry also was honored at the ceremony. Wiley will receive a video cassette recorder.

SSU medical school accepts applicants

Anyone interested in pursuing a career in medical technology and applying to the Sangamon State University, Medical Technology Program should contact the program director by February 15, 1985. Deadline for applications for Fall 1985 is the 15th.

The SSU Medical Technology Program offers the bachelor of science degree to students interested in careers in clinical laboratory science. It is a unique 2+2 program that offers students excellent laboratory facilities, a fine library collection, a low student-teacher ratio, and access to medical centers and the SIU School of Medicine Library.

REQUIREMENTS FOR admission are 60 semester hours of college credit of which 6 hours should be in English, 6 hours in humanities, 4 hours in math, 8 hours in general chemistry, 4 hours of organic chemistry, 6 hours social science, 8 hours in general biology, and 4 hours of microbiology.

For further information students may contact Paula Garrott, Program Director, Medical Technology Program, Sangamon State University, Springfield, Ill. 62708 or call 1-217-786-6648.

DISMISS CHARGE OF ALCOHOL DELIVERY

A charge of unlawful delivery of alcohol to a minor filed against Jefferson A. Davis, 36, of Granite City, was dismissed during a Jan. 18 hearing in the Granite City court.

Davis was charged Dec. 14, 1984, after police received a complaint of young people drinking at the former Tracy's Karate School in the 3600 block of Nameoki Road. A half-barrel of beer allegedly was inside the premises and seven young people also inside were given verbal reprimands and were released without charges.

Davis, owner of the former school, was not present at the time, but arrived shortly thereafter and was charged.

Due to a disagreement on the lease, the karate school is now located at the Renaissance Health Center, the owner said.

Grigsby Junior High's principal retiring in June

Charles R. "Chuck" Weiss, of No. 66 Karen Drive, longtime principal of Grigsby Junior High School, will retire June 18.

His request to advance his early-retirement date from mid-June 1986 to June 1985 was approved Tuesday night by the Board of Education.

With Hollis Donaldson resigning as Parkview School parking lot attendant and crossing guard, the board chose as his successor Gary Rainwater.

Fern Corey resigned as Mitchell School crossing guard and was succeeded by Mrs. Eleanor Porter. The alternate will be Mrs. Lois Mull.

Due to major surgery, Mrs. Gayle McCormick, a Wilson Elementary School teacher assistant, was placed on leave from now to March 18.

The board approved lists of citizen school volunteers at seven schools, and designated potential substitute cafeteria workers for schools in the districts.

Nell Gerstenecker was named as the teaching nurse for a Granite City school district class to be conducted in facilities at the Granite City Center of Belleville Area College. In the past, there were similar agreements at St. Elizabeth Medical Center and then Colonial Haven Nursing Home.

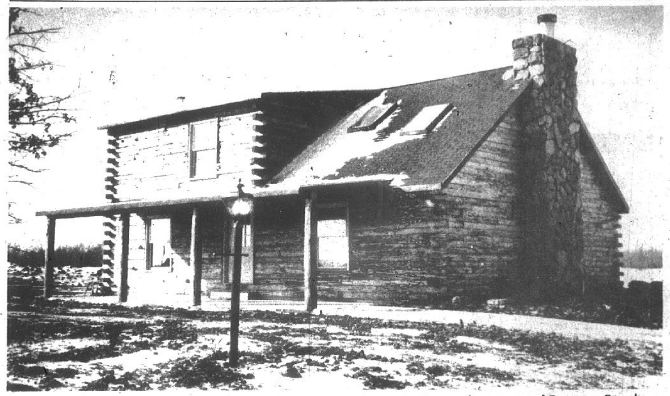
Board approval was given for the Coolidge Junior High speech department to donate a 25-inch-screen television set for use in the department. It is being paid for from fund-raising activities.

Madison County will utilize as voting places April 2 the Maryville, Parkview, Prather, Marshall, Niedringhaus and Wilson schools.

The board purchased items totaling $1,290 from Champion Products and $522 from Merkels after reviewing competitive bids on girls' and boys' track running jerseys and shorts and on girls' softball jerseys. Half of the cost of the athletes' uniforms will be paid by the Granite City High School Boosters.

CHECK STOLEN & CASHED

A check for nearly $90 was stolen from the mailbox at the home of James Voight, 2125 Delmar Ave., last week and was cashed at a local bank after his signature was forged, he told police.



OPEN HOUSE. Saturday and Sunday was open house in the northern area of Pontoon Beach called the Timberlake Subdivision. Thus far, only a single display home has been erected in the subdivision, but financiers are hoping that the weekend's open house, which was attended by nearly 1,000 persons, will attract homebuyers. The theme of the subdivision is, as is shown in the photo above, log homes. In addition to the log homes planned for the area, a "light commercial" area is planned for the section of the subdivision along Route 111. Persons seeking further information about the subdivision may call Rowena Leonard at 797-1330 or stop the display home by daily between 11 a.m. and dusk.
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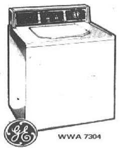

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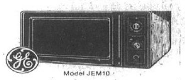

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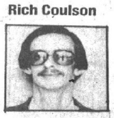

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